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RENEWED ATTACK ON CANTON.

CITY EXPECTED TO FALL TO-DAY.

SAMSHUI NOW IN HANDS OF KWANGSI ARMY.

ADVANCE ON ARSENAL.

The Kwangsi offensive against Canton has been renewed with marked energy, and reports to hand this morning would appear to indicate that the city will fall into the hands of the invaders very shortly, if it has not already done so.

News from a reliable source shows that Samshui is now held by a number of Kwangsi troops, having been recaptured from the Canton forces, whilst the main body of the Kwangsi Army is reported to be making for the arsenal at Shekhang, which is in the outlying suburbs of Canton.

Gunfire Heard.

The fact that the Kwangsi troops were nearing Canton was indicated by passers-by who came down from Canton last night. These reported that at Wongshui, a Canton suburb not far from Shamoon, gun-firing could be heard. It was then rumoured that the Kwangsi troops were within fifteen or twenty miles of Canton, the fall of which was expected to take place this morning.

It is now clear that the pressure on Canton is being made by Kwangsi troops under the command of General Pei Chung-hai from north-west Kwangtung. These forces have seized several places, including Kam Yuen, Tsing Yuen and Tze Wei, the last-named being situated not far from Samshui.

On Saturday, these forces were attacking Samshui from Lupa. The attacking troops are believed to have been reinforced by some of the forces which recently withdrew from Samshui under pressure of the Canton Army.

Silver Removed.

Traffic on the Canton-Samshui and the Canton-Hankow Railways is again suspended.

Chinese reports state that General Chan Chai-long, the chief commander of the Canton Army, has removed a large quantity of silver to the gunboat Haifu, this consignment being said to include reserves from the Central Bank.

Martial Law Incident.

Canon, May 19. There has been a quiet week-end in Canton. There is still martial law in the city from dusk to dawn, and one incident occurred on Friday night which shows that it is being strictly enforced.

The chauffeur of the Minister of Finance, Mr. Pan Ke-mo, was driving an empty car along the maloo near the Little East Gate at about 11.30 p.m. when he was challenged by a sentry. He failed to reply and the sentry immediately levelled his rifle and fired, killing the chauffeur outright, the car mounting the pavement and crashing into a telephone pole.

The car with the dead chauffeur inside could be seen all yesterday morning at the same spot.

Most of the troops which arrived on Thursday from the North on the S.S. Hoi Shan have left for the West River district, but a few of them are still in the city.

Smart Troops.

They appear to be a remarkably fine body of men and are thoroughly well equipped and look smart in their green uniforms. They are said to be Chinese Mohammedans from Kanau and are certainly much smarter in all ways than the Cantonese troops.

H.M.S. Moorhen, which arrived in port on Friday afternoon from Samshui, has about fifteen bullet marks to show for the little episode when she was fired upon at the beginning of the week by the Cantonese troops when entering Samshui from Wuchow.

Wuchow Concern.

Both H.M.S. Moth and H.M.S. Cicale are standing by in Wuchow.

BURGLARY IN CITY LAST NIGHT.

FOUNTAIN PENS & ELECTRIC FANS STOLEN.

ONLY SMALL HAUL.

Last night a burglary of a most unusual character was perpetrated at the store of Messrs. Der A. Wing and Co. (1923) Ltd., general stationers, at 60, Des Voeux Road Central, property to the value of \$100 being stolen. The most amazing feature of the burglary is the fact that the burglar, after rifling a case of valuable fountain pens, selected only half-a-dozen or so and left the remainder, many of which were gold-encased, and then carried off two electric table fans.

When the manager opened his store this morning, he discovered that a matchwood board underneath his shop window, in the entrance to the store, had disappeared, and it was through this aperture that the thief gained access to the store.

The opening was very small and would be hidden from the casual passer-by at night, and it is the surmise of the manager that the burglar made a pretence of sleeping in the doorway while he gradually removed the board.

Once inside, the burglar removed the back of a locked glass case containing the fountain pens and made a selection, and then also took two small fans. Other and more valuable property which was easily portable he left untouched.

Detectives from Central Police Station enquired into the matter this morning, but there is little hope of anything in the nature of incriminatory finger prints being discovered because the glass-case is literally covered with hundreds of prints.

BIG GERMAN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

IMPORTANT SUCCESSES BY FOREIGNERS.

Berlin, May 19.

Foreigners have been successful in two of the premier competitions at the Rotweiss Tennis Club's annual tournament, which attracted a fairly big international entry.

In the final of the Women's Doubles, Mrs. Neave and Miss Heine (South Africa) beat Frau Stephanus and Fraulein Peltz by 7-5, 7-5.

In the final of the Men's Doubles, after a thrilling struggle, Jacques Brugnan and Henri Cochet (France) defeated Dr. Prenz and Modellenbauer by 4-6, 6-3, 10-8.—*Reuter.*

CATHOLIC CHURCH CONVERT.

LADY BERTRAM BROOKE OF SARAWAK.

Paris, May 19.

With Madame Alphonse Daudet, the widow of the great French writer as godmother, the Dayanmuda of Sarawak, Lady Bertram Brooke, has been received into the Catholic Church.—*Reuter.*

preparing to evacuate the foreign residents if necessary; the U.S.S. Guam is also in Wuchow for the same purpose.

It is thought possible that if Chiang Kai-shek and Feng Yushiang come to grips in the North, it may give further energy to the Kwangsi Army, at the same time relieving the pressure in the north of the Province where they are hard pressed around Kweilin. This would perhaps give them the opportunity to renew their offensive against Kwangtung. This is a hope which is expressed quite openly amongst a large number of Chinese here who are really eager to see the Kwangsi troops in Canton.

There is still a great deal of activity at the aerodrome at Tai Sha Tau and planes are making continual flights over the West River Districts from Canton, going up as far as Wuchow.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

CONSTERNATION IN SWATOW.

INVASION BY FUKIEN TROOPS BEGUN.

EARLY FALL OF THE CITY IS EXPECTED.

SOME OFFICIALS FLEE.

Latest advices from Swatow show that there are fears that the new pro-Kwangsi administration formed there under the control of General Hsu King-tong is likely to be broken up, owing to the projected invasion of the city by troops which were being sent down South by Chiang Kai-shek to help in the defence of Canton. The invaders are Fukien troops and they have already reached a point not far from Chaochow-fu. Some of the minor officials have already left Swatow for Hongkong, fearing the early capture of the city.

Whether the new development caused by the virtual declaration of war between Chiang and Feng will affect the situation, remains to be seen.

Consternation Caused.

The *Telegraph* correspondent at Swatow, writing under date of Saturday, describes the situation as follows:

A good deal of consternation has been caused in Swatow by the news that the Fukien Army ordered by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek to go to the help of Canton, has already captured the town of Tai-Pu not very far from Chaochow-fu. As there are practically no soldiers left in the district, it is expected that the latter city will be taken either to-day or tomorrow, and after that, the capture of Swatow itself seems only a matter of hours.

Recruiting of soldiers has been carried on busily here for the past two days, and, to assist in this work, hand-bills were printed and circulated yesterday announcing that Canton had fallen to the Kwangsi forces.

In spite of these measures, however, there are only about 700 soldiers in Swatow, and a further 200 stationed at "Double-Island" to protect the town from attempts to reach it from the sea.

Fear of Communists.

Under these circumstances it is very unlikely that any fighting will take place, but it is feared that in the interregnum between the evacuation of the present Kwangsi troops and officials, (who all hold office under General Hsu King-tong), and the entrance of the Fukien Army, the town will be at the mercy of the Communists who are known to abound in large numbers.

In order to cope with this aspect of the situation, the Swatow Chamber of Commerce held a meeting yesterday at which the chief of Police was present.

Temporary Police Force.

It was decided to raise a temporary Police Force which will be employed and paid by the Chamber of Commerce to keep order in the town in the event of its being left unguarded before the Fukien troops arrive, or after they leave for Canton.

Already many of Swatow's wealthier citizens have left for the healthier atmosphere of Hongkong, including a number of junior Army officers. The new officials, appointed last week by Hsu King-tong, still remain in Swatow.

Shanghai, May 19. Reports from South China state that Fukien troops have entered Kwangtung and are advancing upon Swatow to oust the pro-Kwangsi administration.—*Reuter.*

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following is the disposition of warships now in harbour: Basin.—H.M.S. Tamar. E. W. Basin.—L. 15. North Arm.—H.M.S. Thracian. W. W. Dock.—H.M.S. Cornwall. In Dock.—H.M. ships Bruce, Somme and Sirdar. Foreign men o'war.—Ying Swee and Hai Yung (Chinese, Mindanao (America)), Tulsa (American).

CRIME OUTBREAK IN SHANGHAI.

TWO ASSASSINATIONS WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

DARING MURDERERS.

Shanghai, May 20. Criminal activities in the International Settlement are growing daily more serious, and the police are greatly perturbed. There have been numerous armed robberies and other crimes of violence in the past week, but things have been brought to a head by two carefully-planned assassinations within a period of twenty-four hours, which have forced the Settlement Police to consider the adoption of special measures to deal with the situation.

It is understood that the heads of the police have been in conference and the result of their deliberations is likely to be shown in Shanghai in the course of a day or two.

The first assassination took place in broad daylight in one of the most congested centres in Shanghai, Burkill Road. There must have been dozens of people in the street, yet two gunmen were allowed to shoot down and kill a Chinese Government agent and escape. The crime is believed to be the aftermath of attempted extortion.

The second assassination, perhaps even more daring in its commission, occurred yesterday when five men entered a bath house, emptied their revolvers into their intended victim, who was standing quite nude, and escaped.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

K.O.S.B. MAN SENT TO PRISON.

STOLE MONEY FROM CHINESE CIGARETTE SHOP.

PREVIOUS OFFENCES.

Pte V. Ormiston, of "A" Company, 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, was charged before Mr. N.L. Smith, at the Central Police Court, this morning with the theft of \$7 from the Wo Kee Cigarette Shop at the Praya East.

Defendant pleaded guilty.

Inspector Macdonald said Ormiston went into the shop on Saturday and asked for a packet of Gold Flake cigarettes. He said "Ten Dollars" and made a motion towards his breast pocket as if he was going to produce a note. The shopkeeper thereupon opened his till, with the idea of giving change. Ormiston quickly put his hand into a tin and snatched \$7. He then ran out of the shop and boarded a passing tram. The shopkeeper followed, blowing a whistle as he chased the tram.

As the tram passed the Wanchai Police Station, the defendant was arrested by a constable and taken in. The stolen money was recovered on the defendant.

Looking over the police records, Mr. Smith said to Ormiston: "I see you were once before this Court on two counts, of damaging plateglass window and of theft. Rather a habit. Two months' hard labour."

LANCASHIRE COTTON.

SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTE WITH EMPLOYEES.

London, May 18. The Lancashire cotton dispute has been settled following a joint conference.

The settlement was due to a special trade union delegate meeting accepting the millowners' proposal to consider the men's case if they returned to work, and to revise the scale of pay with arrears due if it was found that the new rates were unfair.—*Reuter.*

A message dated the 18th instant stated that over 200,000 operatives, employed in 560 mills, would be affected by the decision of the Federation of Master Cotton Spinners' Associations, to close the mills on May 18, till the unofficial strike of the card-room operatives at the Alma Mills, Oldham, came to an end.—*Reuter.*

PRISON WARDER MURDERED.

SUDDEN ATTACK BY CONVICT.

DISTRESSING TRAGEDY IN SINGAPORE GAOL.

SCISSORS BLADE STAB.

Singapore, May 11. A European warder was murdered by a Chinese long-sentence prisoner in the Singapore gaol this morning.

The alarm whistle was heard at about 7.30 a.m., when the officers on rounds were in the halls above the work yard. They went down to the old prison, which is now the largest workshop and in which just over 140, long-sentence men are employed as printers, bookbinders, tailors and shoemakers. There they discovered a considerable disturbance, and the Sikh guard had come in from the main gate and were distributed round the work yard.

Assailant Shot Down.

The European officer in charge reported that Warder K. G. Dixon had been severely wounded by a prisoner and that it had been necessary to shoot down the assailant.

Warder Dixon was examined by the prison medical officer and found to have three stab wounds, two in the chest and one in the stomach. He was removed to the General Hospital, and it was stated shortly afterwards that blood transfusion might be necessary.

Immediately nine European members of the prison staff who were off duty volunteered and were asked to hold themselves in readiness. Unfortunately the injuries were too severe for anything to be done, and Warder Dixon died shortly after eleven o'clock.

Possible Motive.

So far as can be ascertained, the motive appears to have arisen from an incident which occurred a little over a month ago.

Warder Dixon reported a man for concealing a pair of scissors. The officers had been checking up the tools as usual at the end of the day, and discovered that one pair of scissors was missing. Warder Dixon subsequently found them concealed under the bench at which this particular prisoner worked.

As there was a suspicion that the incident pointed to a premeditated attack on some other prisoner, the usual punishment in these cases was inflicted. The offender was transferred to a lower grade for a month, and that term expired yesterday. The man must have brooded over the degradation, and that must have prompted him to this shocking crime.

The prisoner was taken to the hospital and found to be suffering from serious injuries caused by a stomach wound, but it is considered likely that they will not prove fatal.

The weapon used by the man in his attack was one scissor blade.

Warder Dixon's Career.

Warder Dixon served in the war with considerable distinction and rose to the rank of captain. He joined the Straits Settlements Prisons Department after demobilisation, but subsequently he became an inspector in the Straits Police. He was transferred to the F.M.S., but later decided to rejoin the Prisons Department as a warder.

Lieut. Colonel Tyte, Governor of the Singapore Prison, described him as one of the straightest and steadiest men in the whole prison staff.

Warder Dixon was unmarried, but poignancy is added to the tragedy by the fact that it is only a fortnight since Lieut. Colonel Tyte made the arrangements necessary for the passage from Home to Singapore of the girl to whom Dixon was engaged, and the wedding was to have taken place in Singapore in July.

BRITISH AVIATORS MISSING.

GRAVE FEARS FELT FOR THE AUSTRALIAN FLIERS.

OVERDUE AT DARWIN.

Sydney, May 19. The Australian airmen, Flight Lieutenant Mohr and Flying Officer Owen, who have been engaged on a flight from England to Australia since March 18th, are missing.

They were due at Darwin on Saturday evening from Birm but have not been sighted since passing over Koepang at 11.45 a.m. on Saturday.

Bima is in the Sunda Islands, part of the Malay Archipelago, and the trip should not have been a long one.

Captain Grosvenor, in a Moth aeroplane, flew out to sea from Darwin and searched the coastline, but after covering over four hundred miles, he returned reporting that he could find no trace of the fliers.

The gravest fears for their safety is felt, though it is possible they have landed at Atamboewa.

The airmen have been experiencing misfortune throughout their flight. They set out from Folkestone with the object of flying to Australia in twelve days, and to beat Hinkler's record of 15½ days. They have already been engaged on the flight for two months, owing to engine trouble and accidents at different points on the journey.

They were last heard of on May 8th, when they landed at Dumdum in India. Apparently, they have been making steady progress since then.—*Reuter.*

A BIRTHDAY GIFT.

GENEROSITY OF GRAMOPHONE COMPANY DIRECTOR.

London, May 18.

Mr. Louis Sterling, Managing Director of the Columbia Gramophone Company, yesterday celebrated his 50th birthday by dividing \$100,000 among his 1,000 business associates and employees of over five years standing.

"I would have left that amount to the same people in my will," Mr. Sterling states, "but I decided there was no use waiting till I was dead and it would do those concerned much more good now than at some future date."

The recipients in eight countries received their cheques yesterday morning.—*British Wireless.*

OBITUARIES.

TWO AMERICAN ACTRESSES PASS AWAY.

New York, May 19.

The death has occurred of the well-known American actress, Mary Shaw.—*Reuter's American Service.*

Miss Hilda Moore.

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TRAGEDY FOLLOWS THUNDERSTORM.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT NEW YORK BASEBALL GAME.

New York, May 19.

Two persons were killed and over fifty injured during a mad rush for shelter from a thunderstorm on the part of spectators at a baseball game at the Yankee Stadium.

A gate leading to a fifteen-foot pit collapsed under the pressure of the excited crowd, many of which fell pell-mell into the pit.—*Reuter.*

FENG & CHIANG AT GRIPS.

REARGUARD ACTIONS BY KUOMINCHUN.

FENG ISSUES WARNING TO YEN HSI-SHAN.

DESPERATE POSITION.

Shanghai, May 19. The daring coup d'etat by Feng Yushiang which has paralysed communications on the Lingshi Railway, puts an end to doubts of hostilities between Feng and Chiang Kai-shek, and it is learned from Nanking that the ceremonial burial of the remains of Sun Yat-sen may be postponed on account of the threatened turmoil.

According to Chinese sources, fighting has already broken out in the vicinity of Wushingwan, which has fallen into the hands of the Nanking forces after a brief engagement with Feng's rearguard.

Nanking Wounded.

A number of wounded troops are reported to have arrived at Hankow from the Honan region, and more are expected as rearguard actions have been fought by General Sun Liang-sing against the Nanking forces under General Hsu Yuen-yun. Large numbers of the Kuominchun forces are concentrated nearby, however, and no important advance by Nanking is expected at the moment.

It is becoming increasingly certain that the whole of China will be involved in the new war.

Yen in a Dilemma.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek has issued orders to Marshal Yen Hsi-shan to mobilise his forces for an attack on Honan and Shensi from Shanai Province, but up to the present there has been no indication of a military move by Shensi. Yen may have been influenced by a message from Feng Yushiang to the effect that unless the Northern chief maintains a strict neutrality in the combat between Feng and Chiang, the first Kuominchun attack will be launched in the direction of Shansi.

Tang Seng-chi.

Much military activity has taken place in Hankow, Tientsin and Peking, it is reported, but doubts are expressed that all the troops concerned can be relied upon by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek.

There is a strong rumour, not backed by any definite information at the moment, that Tang Seng-chi is likely to throw in his lot with the Kuominchun. General Tang is now at Tongshan and he reviewed his troops, announcing during the review that he would be leaving for Nanking to confer with Chiang on the present situation.

Kuominchun Defence.

Twenty-eight of Feng's generals yesterday issued a manifesto denouncing Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, accusing him of misappropriating large sums of money which should have gone to the relief of famine in Shensi and Honan, and of opening war upon the Kwangsi Party for no cause whatsoever.

The immediate resignation of the Nanking C.I.C. is demanded. It is declared that Marshal Feng Yushiang is in a position to put 500,000 troops into the field against Chiang.

Chang Fat-kwei To Attack.

In well-informed circles it is stated that Chiang has been preparing for combat with Feng for some time past and that his plans are gradually maturing. One of the principal points of attack will be from Northern Hupoh, and the Nanking troops in this region will be placed under the command of General Chang Fat-kwei, the leader of the "Ironside".

Chang Fat-kwei has been reinforced by large numbers of Hupoh troops and they are already advancing up the Peking-Hankow Railway towards Honan.

Declaration of War.

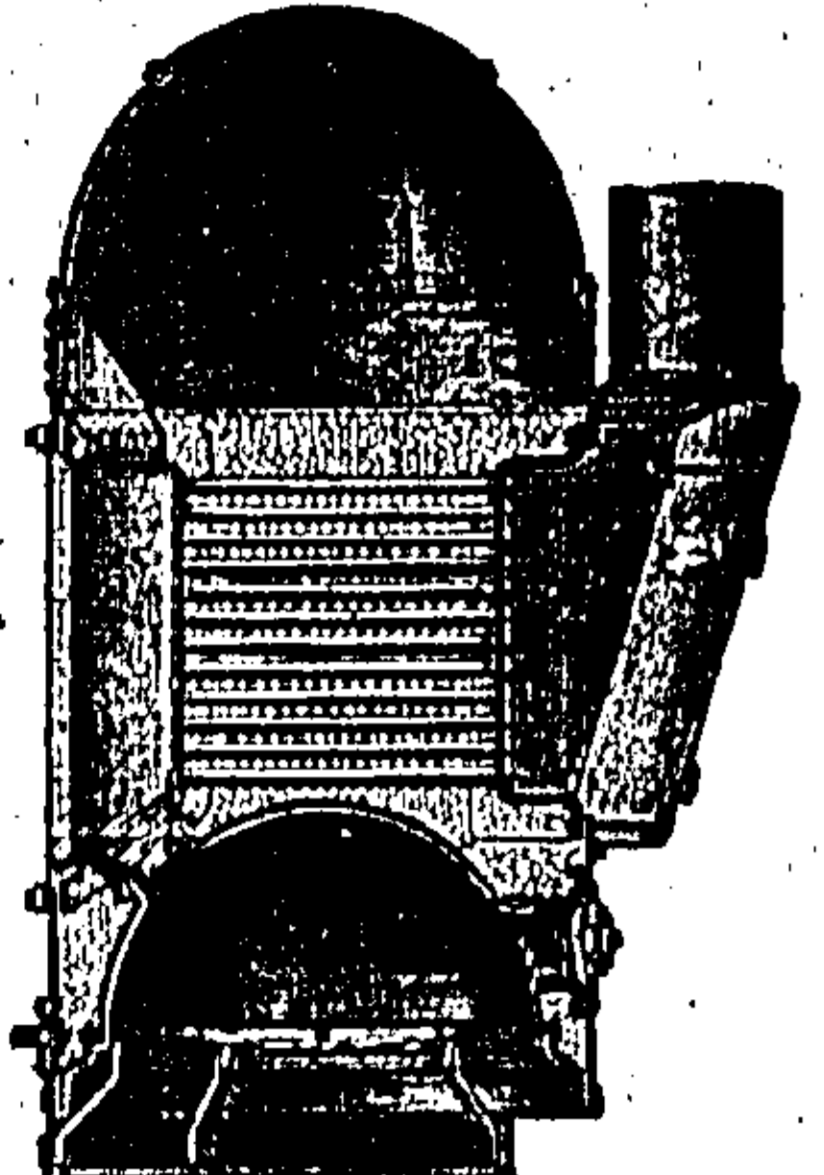
Hankow, May 19. Nothing short of a declaration of war was uttered by General Ho (Continued on Page 2)

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SAIGON-HONGKONG.

EXPLORATION OF COMMERCIAL AIR ROUTE.

The Breguet seaplane dispatched by the Compagnie Aerienne Francaise from Saigon to explore the possibilities of an extension of a commercial air-service to Hongkong successfully accomplished the second stage of the flight from Hanoi on Saturday. Departing from the Indo-China metropolis at 6.50 in the morning, it arrived here at 4.55 in the afternoon, a total of 7.45 hours having been spent in actual flying, after due allowance is made for stops at intermediate points.

Upon arrival here, the plane alighted in the aviation anchorage off Kai Tak Aerodrome, a tiny machine, painted yellow.

From the body of the machine two smiling figures stepped into a waiting dinghy, these being M. Tixier, the intrepid pilot, and M. Robbe, the equally enterprising Deputy-Director of the Cie Aerienne Francaise, who was making the trip as a passenger in order to obtain first-hand impressions. After them came about 50 lbs of luggage.

The visitors were taken ashore in an A. P. C. launch, smilingly acknowledging the welcome and congratulations extended by those on board.

Arrival Scenes.

In anticipation of the needs of the airman, the Asiatic Petroleum Company had detailed its representatives to await the arrival with a launch and oil supplies. Though disappointed on the first day, they had the pleasure of greeting the airman on Saturday afternoon. The plane, easily the smallest to have made this Colony a port of call, was sighted, flying fairly low, over the western entrance into the harbour. It made, unerringly, for the aviation anchorage, on which it landed, in a shower of spray, and taxied to the buoy assigned to it by the aerodrome officials. A burst of hand-clapping from the people on the A.P.C. craft, signalled the end of a remarkable performance.

Aboard the launch, the necessary introductions were exchanged. M. Robbe, it appears, is the Deputy Director of the "French Aviation Company," a ten-million franc concern, whose headquarters are in Paris, and M. Tixier, is his trusted pilot.

They mentioned that they had put in at Macao, thinking perhaps that it was their ultimate destination, but had scarcely touched water there before they were again up.

They had nothing but complete satisfaction to express of the excellent arrangements for refuelling provided at all stopping points by the Asiatic Petroleum Company and its associate company, the Compagnie Franco-Asiatique des Petroles. Throughout the progress of the flight, no hitch was encountered, the Shell Aviation Spirit and aviation lubrication oils provided by these companies being all that could be desired.

M. Robbe plans to return this morning to Hanoi by the same way that he came. His machine weighs only 3,300 lbs with fuel tanks filled, and is fitted with a Hispano-Suiza motor, developing a horsepower of 180.

STAMP DUTIES.

AMENDMENT OF TERMS OF REFERENCE.

His Excellency the Governor-in-Council has been pleased to direct the amendment of the terms of reference to the Stamp Duties Committee to read as follows:

"To consider the amendment of the Stamp Ordinance with a view to preventing evasion of the stamp duty on share transactions and of the estate duty on shares forming part of the estates of deceased persons."

THE GRAF ZEPPELIN.

LANDS SAFELY AT FRENCH AERODROME.

Paris, May 17.
Dr. Eckener's decision to land in France was made towards the close of an all day struggle to reach Friedrichshafen.

The engine trouble which led to the resolve to turn back from the Atlantic first developed near Saragossa last evening.

The airship battled her way back in the teeth of strong headwinds, and reached French territory at eight o'clock this morning. After crossing the Gulf of Lyons, the Zeppelin headed up the Rhone Valley where she encountered a mistral blowing at eighteen miles an hour against her ability to do twenty miles an hour with her remaining engines.

Three engines then went out of action through the fracture of the driving-shafts. The Zeppelin reached Nîmes at nine o'clock this morning and was stationary for twenty minutes near Bellegarde, which is fifteen miles further on. She then slowly proceeded in an easterly direction at a height of about 2,500 feet.—*Reuter.*

Great Excitement.

Toulon, May 18.
The landing of the Graf Zeppelin had caused most intense excitement in the neighbourhood. Excited spectators made a wild stampede to the landing ground.

The Police and the military authorities had the greatest difficulty in keeping back the crowds which swarmed the ground.

Weather conditions were favourable and the landing party had no difficulty in seizing the mooring ropes which held the airship until it was safely secured.

Dr. Eckener was the first to jump out and gave a warm tribute to the work of the landing party.

All the passengers landed in high spirits. Mrs. Pierce, the only woman passenger, declared that nobody was in the least alarmed at the experience.—*Reuter.*

Four New Engines.

Friedrichshafen, May 18.
Four new engines for the Graf Zeppelin are being sent to Toulon to-day.—*Reuter.*

Talk of Sabotage.

London, May 19.
The fact that four of the five engines of the Graf Zeppelin broke down has led to the talk of sabotage at Friedrichshafen but Dr. Eckener is reported to have declared that he did not believe there had been foul play. In the meanwhile three spare motors are still lying at the works pending instructions from Dr. Eckener, whilst the fourth, which has been consigned to Japan, has been intercepted at Genoa.

Dr. Eckener has telegraphed to the French Ministers of War and Marine paying warm tributes to the French soldiers and sailors for helping in the landing of the Graf Zeppelin. The tone of the messages, to which cordial replies were sent, made a favourable impression in France.—*Reuter.*

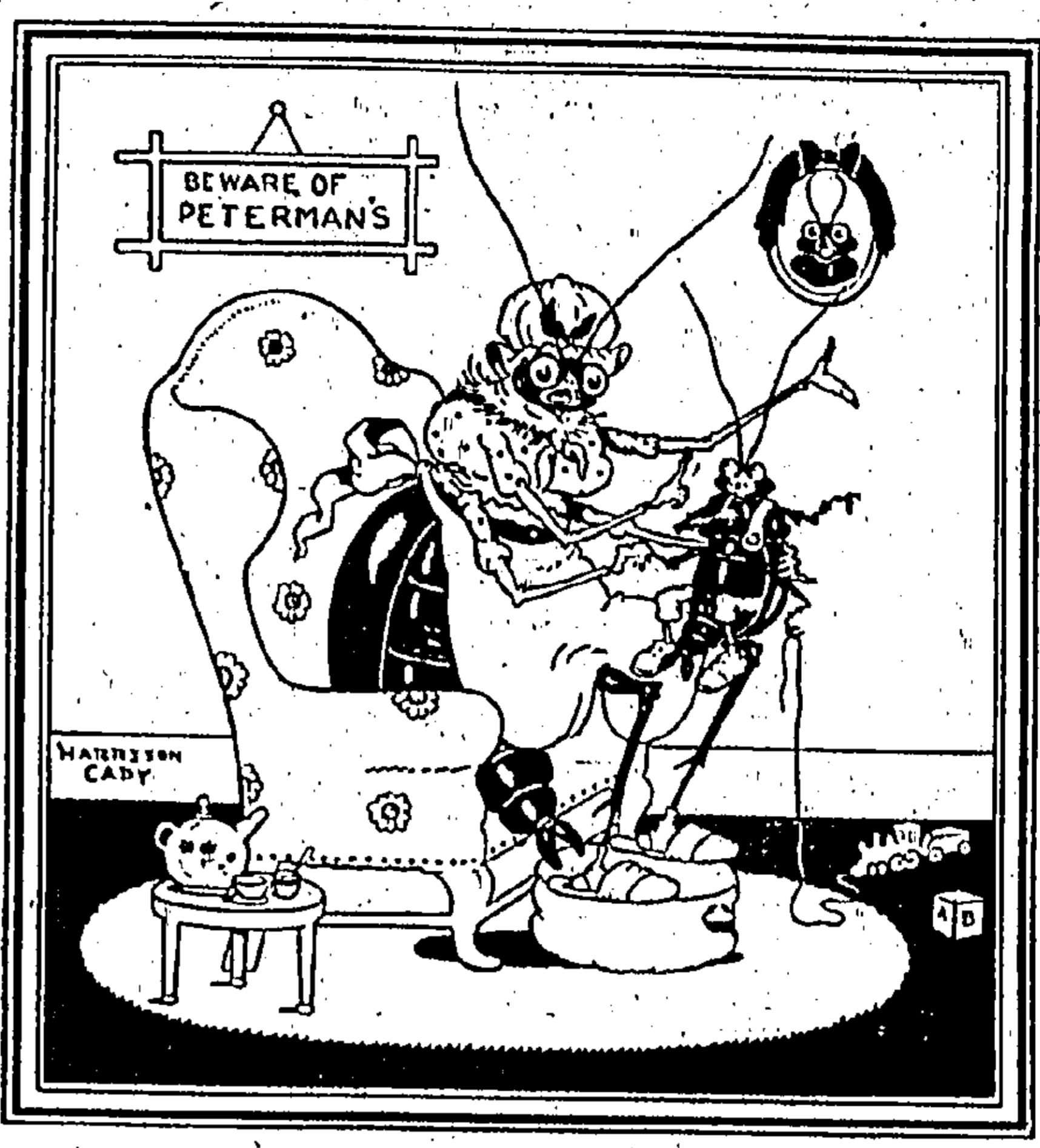
Air-Liner Comes Down.

Budapest, May 19.
While a Vienna-Budapest air-liner was flying over the Danube near Budapest an explosion occurred and a wing dropped off. The machine fell into the river and the pilot and a passenger were drowned.—*Reuter.*

WHITSUNTIDE.

GOOD WEATHER FOR HOLIDAY.

London, May 18.
From midday to-day until Tuesday England will be keeping Whitsun holiday. The holiday appears certain to be favoured with fine weather, according to meteorological forecasts, and there is a general exodus to-day from London to the seaside, the country, and abroad.—*British Wireless.*



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A collision involving two vessels on the Hongkong-Canton run occurred at 10.45 on Saturday night when the two steamers concerned, the s.s. Tung On and the s.s. Lungshan, from Canton, were approaching their respective wharves which are 150 feet apart.

It appears that the s.s. Tung On, inward bound from Canton, was approaching her wharf to berth, "Full Speed Ahead" was ordered on the port engine to swing the ship's head outwards; but it is alleged that owing to a mistake in the engine room, the engine was put "Full Speed Ahead." Consequently, the ship gathered headway and before anything could be done, crashed into the port side of the Lungshan, splintering the latter vessel's rail and denting a plate. The Lungshan however, had no difficulty in berthing. The collision caused some excitement but was not serious and no one was injured.

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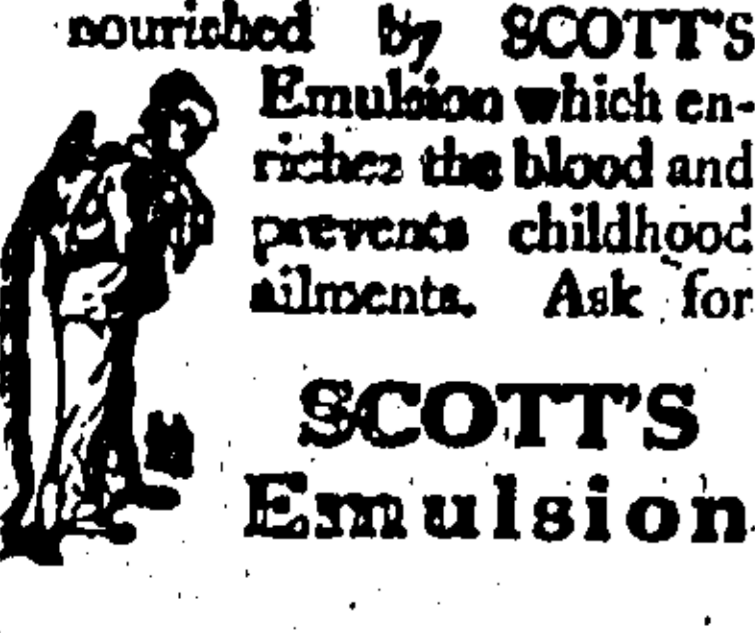
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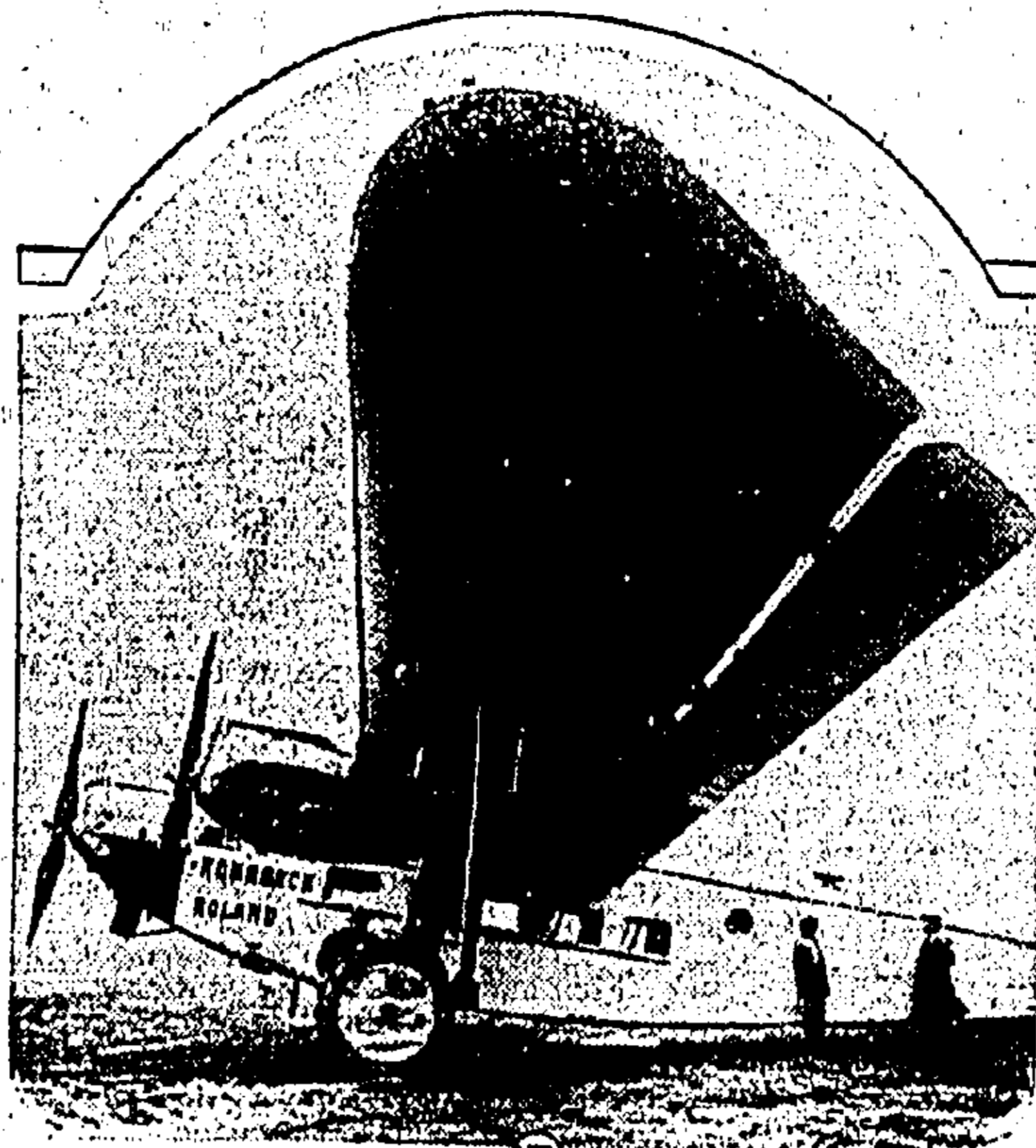


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Our photo shows His Majesty the King making his first public speech since his long illness. Taken at Bognor, the King is seen acknowledging the enthusiastic greetings of the crowd.



This photo just received from Germany shows the Roland, a new Rohrbach traffic plane, which will carry 100 passengers and two pilots. It has three motors of 360 horsepower each. It is to be used for long distance flights.



The Queen Mother of Rumania (left) and the Queen of Spain photographed while walking through the streets of Madrid.



America's team for the Ryder Cup matches. Pictured here as they sailed from New York are, left to right, front row: Herto Smith, Walter Hagan (captain), Joe Turnesa and Johnny Golden; rear row: Ed Dudley, Al Watrous, Gene Sarazen, Leo Diegel, Al Espinoza and Johnny Farrell.



Our photo shows the wedding group at Oslo when Princess Martha of Sweden became the bride of Crown Prince Olaf of Norway. The Duke of York, who was best man, is seen standing immediately behind the Royal bridegroom.



The Harmon Trophy for distinguished flying service in 1928 was recently presented to Carl Eielson, the pilot of Sir Hubert Wilkin's Polar machine, by President Hoover.



Photo taken when the Alumni Association of the Shanghai Public School for Chinese held their annual dinner.

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Advertiser can strongly recommend two Servants, Gardener and Cook-boy. Services available end of May. Write Box No. 520, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

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TO LET.—One Office Room at Kayamally Building. Apply to Kayamally & Co., Queen's Road Central.

TO LET.—Furnished FLAT, on motor road, at Pokfulam, with all modern sanitary conveniences. Write Box No. 514, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

TO LET.—From 1st June, 1929, Nos. 5 and 6, Prospect Place, Bonham Road, Rent Moderate. Write to Box No. 515, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

TO LET or FOR SALE.—On Broadwood Road, two semi-detached 5 roomed HOUSES, with tennis court and garage to each house. Write Secretary, Post Office Box No. 22.

TO LET.—Furnished 3 Room FLAT, with modern sanitation in Ashley Road, Kowloon. Rent \$120. Suitable Married Couple or two Bachelors. Write Box No. 621, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

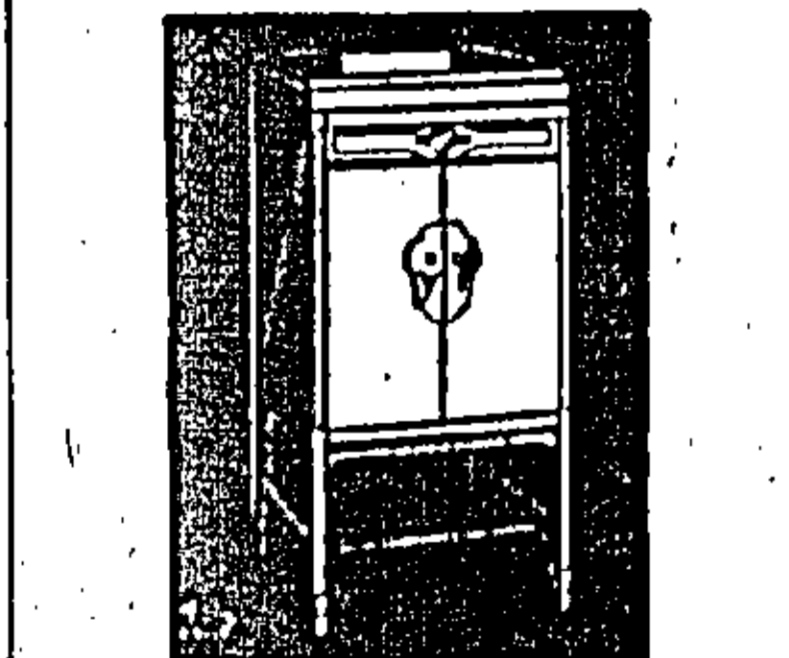
The Forty-eighth Ordinary, General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on THURSDAY, the 23rd May, 1929, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1928.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 9th to the 23rd May, 1929, both days inclusive.

JARDINE MATHESON
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Hongkong, 2nd May, 1929.



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New Advertisements

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Fifth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 18th May, and on Monday, 20th May, 1929, commencing at 3 p.m.

The first bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m.

The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1.—for all persons including ladies.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their Badges to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each member has the right to introduce 2 non-members to the Members' Enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis at \$5.—each per day up to Friday, 17th May, 1929.

The charge for admission for Ladies to the Members' Enclosure will be \$2.—per day.

Each member can obtain upon application to the Secretary Badges for admission of 2 Ladies free of charge.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during Race Meetings.

NO CHILDREN ALLOWED IN EITHER ENCLOSURE ON ANY PRETEXT.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.

(Incorporated in Hongkong.)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the Head Office, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th May, 1929, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1928, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 6th May to 24th May, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1929.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

(Incorporated in Hongkong.)

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTIETH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th May, 1929, at 11.15 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1928, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 6th May to 24th May, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1929.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-THIRD ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th May, 1929, at 12.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1928, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 6th May to 24th May, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1929.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

In Accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction of public business on Monday, the 20th May, (Whit Monday).
Hongkong, 14th May, 1929.

Lammert's Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on TUESDAY,

the 21st May, 1929,

commencing at 5.15 p.m.

at their Sales Room,

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A Valuable Collection of Postage Stamps.

(Particulars from Catalogue)

On View from Saturday, the 18th May, 1929.

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on WEDNESDAY,

the 22nd May, 1929,

commencing at 10.30 a.m.

at Godown No. 18, The Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon.

(For account of the concerned)

A Large Quantity of Miscellaneous Goods.

comprising:—
Dried Fish, Angle Iron, Iron Pipes, Naphthalene Balls, Sweepings, Mangrove Bark, Plate Cutting, Plank, Timber, White Zinc, Castile Soda, Galvanized Pipe, Sulphate, Wire Shorts, Wire, Iron Tube, Lumber, Iron Ware, Drugs, Wine, Window Glass, Round Iron, Confectionery, Pencils, Bar Ends, Toys Wire Rods, Flat Iron, Flat Bars, Old Trunks, Charcoal, Empty Sacks, Tea, Red Wood, Mats, Personal Effects, Myrabolam, Matches, Pineapples, Yarn, Scrap Iron, Sulphate of Ammonia, Match Sticks, Porcelain, Soda Ash, Glass Bottles, Flour, Lead, and Groundnut Seeds, etc., etc.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
Auctioneers.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on WEDNESDAY,

the 22nd May, 1929,

commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at their Sales Room,

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A Large Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture.

comprising:—
Teak Hatstand with Bevelled Mirror, Glass Cabinet, Chesterfield Couch and Armchairs, Drawing Room Suite, Desk, Bookcase, Ceiling and Table Fans, Pianos, Electric Gramophone, Cameras, Typewriters, Carpets, Rugs, Plectrums, Wardrobe Trunks, Indian Motor Cycle, Porcelain Vases, Ornaments, Curios, etc.,
Teak Dining Tables, Dining Chairs, Sideboards with Bevelled Mirrors, Dinner Wagon, White Frost Refrigerator, Ice Chests, Dinner Crockery, Cooking Stove, Glass Ware, E. P. Ware, etc.
Teak and Iron Bedsteads with Mattresses, Wardrobes with and without Bevelled Mirror, Dressing Tables, Chests of Drawers, Toilet Sets, Washstands, Baby Cots, Curtains, Linen, Enamel and Shanghai Baths, etc.,
and
A Quantity of Blackwood Furniture.

Catalogues will be issued.

On View from Tuesday, the 21st May, 1929.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,
Auctioneers.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction

on THURSDAY,

the 23rd May, 1929,

commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at No. 3, Tregunter Mansions (May Road.)

A Quantity of Valuable Household Furniture.

(Catalogue will be issued.)

On View from Wednesday, the 22nd May, 1929.

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HUGHES & HOUGH LIMITED.

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on THURSDAY,

the 23rd May, 1929,

at 11 a.m.,

at the China Navigation Co.'s West Point Godown.

A Large Quantity of Sundry Rubber Goods etc.

stated to be damaged and/or partially damaged, consisting of:—
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Hongkong, 18th May, 1929.

TRINITY COLLEGE OF MUSIC LONDON.

The Local Examinations will take place on and after

25th May 1929.

Candidates will be notified in due course.

J. E. ANDERSON
Actg Local Secy.

RUNAWAY COUPLE'S ORDEAL.

HOSTILE RECEPTION BY UNDERGRADUATES.

Cambridge, Apr. 25.

The Pembroke College undergraduate, Mr. Hector Mappin, whose recent elopement to Gretina Green has received such widespread publicity, met with a somewhat lively reception at Cambridge today, when he visited his College with his bride.

Some of the undergraduates resented the publicity given to their college by the affair, and particularly the remark attributed to Mr. Mappin by some of the morning papers to-day, that "the boys of Pembroke" would want to give him a luncheon.

Upon the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Mappin at the college, no luncheon invitation was forthcoming, and so they went to a hotel for luncheon with one or two friends, after having been given a rather boisterous send off from the front gate of the college.

Meanwhile, about ten or a dozen undergraduates had hatched a plot to kidnap Mr. Mappin after luncheon, but their original plan was foiled by the departure of the pair from the hotel in a taxicab instead of in their own motor-car.

The plotters, however, promptly gave chase in a high-powered motor-car, and when Mr. Mappin got out of the taxicab, he was promptly seized and carried to the plotters' motor-car.

Running-Board Struggle.

Mrs. Mappin, in the meantime, jumped on to the running-board of the motor-car and took a firm grip of the steering wheel to prevent it being driven off. The Mappins' motor-car had also arrived on the scene by this time, and the bridegroom, partly freeing himself, shouted to his wife to get into it. The moment she released her hold of the steering wheel, however, and jumped from the running-board, the motor with its unwilling captive drove off at a high speed in the direction of Grantchester.

Mrs. Mappin and two friends followed in pursuit, and arrived at the mill pool at Grantchester just in time to prevent Mr. Mappin being ducked.

Mr. Mappin, with the timely arrival of assistance, let drive with his fists, and Mrs. Mappin also rushed into the fray and distributed some hearty slaps.

The "raggers" were eventually persuaded to relinquish their hold on their victim, and Mr. and Mrs. Mappin drove off in the direction of Saffron Walden.

On the return of the couple to Wickford, near Billericay, Essex (the home of the bride's parents), last night Mr. Hector Mappin told a Press representative that the incident at Cambridge was a good-natured "rag," carried off in the most friendly spirit. He added that he would not be returning to Cambridge, but could not state yet whether he would be going into business.

POST OFFICE NOTICE

RADIO NOTICE.

The Radio Office, where full information concerning all wireless services may be obtained at all times, is situated on the ground floor of the P. and O. Building in Des Voeux Road, next to the General Post Office.

Individuals and firms are recommended to register their telegraphic addresses at the Radio Office. No charge is made for this.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Amoy	Per Linan	May 20.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	May 20.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan, Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London April 20, May 1.)	Pres. Jefferson	May 20.
Japan and Shanghai	Kaga Maru	May 21.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers London, 18th April)	D'Artagnan	May 21.
Suez and Straits and London Parcel	Medon	May 21.
Apr. 11.	Tydeus	May 21.
Straits	Gurna	May 22.
Calcutta and Straits	Yuensang	May 22.
Amoy	Talamba	May 22.
Straits	Rossington Court	May 23.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Grant	May 24.
Japan and Shanghai	Morea	May 24.
Straits	Hakone Maru	May 26.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	May 27.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai	Emp. of France	May 27.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Polk	June 1.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Tues., May 21, 1 p.m.
Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., May 21, 12.30 p.m.
Manila and Parcels for Germany via Haratung	Vogtland	Tues., May 21, 12.30 p.m.
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	D'Artagnan	Tues., May 21, K.P.O.

Registration 10 a.m.
Letters 1 p.m.
G.P.O.
Registration 12.45 p.m.
Letters 1.30 p.m.
(Due Marseilles 22nd June.)

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa	Ganges Maru	Tues., May 21, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Shantung	Tues., May 21, 3 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Tues., May 21, 4.30 p.m.

Swatow	Hopsang	Wed., May 22, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Limechow	Wed., May 22, 8.30 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Kaga Maru	Wed., May 22, Registration 8.45 a.m.

Amoy and Japan	Yuensang	Thurs., May 23, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow, Pakhol and Haiphong	Linan	Thurs., May 23, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow	Kiungchow	Fri., May 24, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Maussang	Fri., May 24, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ching	Fri., May 24, 9 a.m.
Wei Hai Wei	Huichow	Sat., May 25, 8.30 a.m.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Morea	Sat., May 25, K.P.O.
	Parcels	May 23, 4.30 p.m.
	Registration	May 25, 9 a.m.
	Letters	May 25, 10 a.m.

	Parcels	May 23, 5 p.m.
	Registration	May 25, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters	May 25, 10.30 a.m.
		(Due Marseilles 22nd June.)

Manila	Pres. Grant	Sat., May 25, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow	Suiyang	Sat., May 25, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Anhui	Sat., May 25, 5 p.m.
Hoihow	Chinhuu	Sun., May 26, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Kalkan	Sun., May 26, 9 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Hakone Maru	Mon., May 27, 10.30 a.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B. C. and Europe via Siberia	Pres. Jefferson	Tues., May 28, Parcels May 27, 5 p.m.
	Registration	May 28, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters	May 28,



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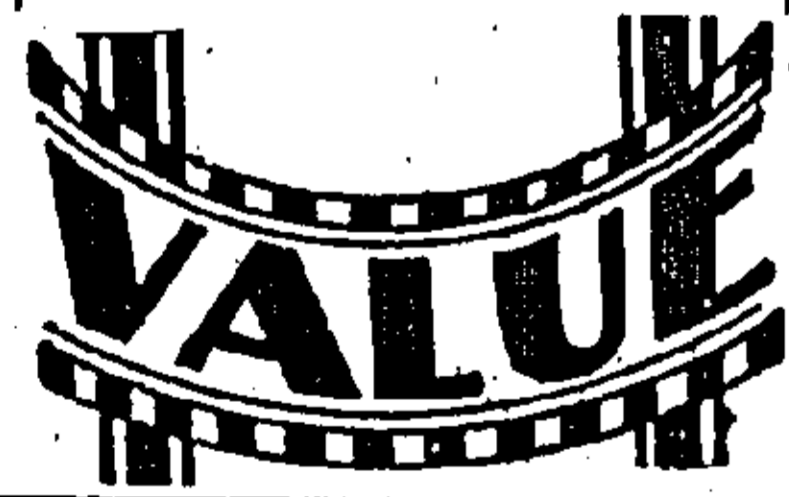
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Pills and did so with the
result that the boils disappeared
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being 52,730 more than the 1927
increase.—*Reuter*.

WOMAN'S WORLD FOR OUR LADY READERS.



The first of these two becoming toilettes is developed in
Havana brown Ottoman silk; the clever arrangement of the
fabric to bring the rib into decorative use is worthy of note.
The second, a "Mapple" model is beautifully expressed in
black and white satin; the pleated skirt is all-black, the
jumper top is half black and half white, and the scarf is
black lined with white.

Fashion Notes.

DRESSING TO MATCH YOUR ESCORT.

There is a tendency to bring the
afternoon frock from the back-
ground to where it has been re-
legated, except for the smartest
occasions by the ubiquitous sports
models, which were worn at all
times during the day. But this
does not mean that the sports suit
has become any less important a
part of the up-to-date woman's
wardrobe. This point has been
stressed in the new models, which
comprise handknitted sweaters,
striped in shades of different
colours—prune, grey, beige, car-
amel, green.

These are worn with skirts of
the new plain woollen materials,
which are cut on very straight
lines, but with, generally, a group
of plants at one side or in front.
A short jacket, in either knitted
or woven wool, completes this
smart, yet practical ensemble.

As a critic of social customs, a
celebrated couturier of Paris con-
tributes the idea that a woman's
dress for evening wear should
harmonise with what her
escort wears. To go with
a man's dark business suit
and soft shirt, which is cor-
rect in less formal restaurants and
cabarets, he creates a dress which
goes by the name of Monsieur Sans
Gene, a simple black gown, not
exaggeratedly long at the back as
to skirt, nor exaggeratedly low at
the décolletage. To go with a
man's dinner jacket, there is an
ensemble, *Le Diner à Montmartre*
with more fullness and more
length to the skirt.

And to wear for really formal
supper and galas, when the man
will have on his full-dress suit, he
makes a lustrous black evening
gown, with panels that dip down
and brush the floor in the back,
echoing the line of the man's tail
coat.



This dainty little basque
blouse is carried out in cream
crepe de chine patterned in
lemon-yellow, orange and green.
Collar and jabot of cream
crepe, the latter bordered with
an orange line.

The Sideboard Problem.

In these days of lounge living-
rooms and the miniature dining-
room of flats and bungalows the
expansive sideboard of the type
belonging to the handsome dining-
room suite we remember in our
childhood is not only out of place,
there is absolutely no room for it.

For the living-room, which must
not suggest too obviously that
meals are taken there, a Dutch
dresser completely solves the side-
board problem. Modern repro-
ductions of fine old pieces, in dark
and "rubbed" oak, are of various
sizes. A three-foot long dresser
of narrow width holds in its
drawers and cupboards all the
usual table requirements of a
small family, while the shelves may
display a collection of pewter or
artistic china. Line the drawers
with green baize, and keep plate
and cutlery in them, doing away
with the more cumbersome plate
basket.

Some people utilise a handsome
oaken chest, such as our ances-
tresses kept as heirloom dower
chests. Into it go the plate-
basket, knife-boxes and table-linen.
The top is kept free, and possibly
used as a seat.

In a tiny dining-room there is
hardly space for more than the
table and chairs. A dumb-waiter,
which is run into the room on
casters, loaded from the pantry
with everything necessary, is the
simplest expedient. If extra sur-
face is required for trays, a hinged
flap against the wall serves the
purpose. This should be very
strongly made and evenly balanced
and supported. It is raised at
meal-times, and let down when not
in use.

Attractive Sandwich Fillings.

Sausage meat mixed with
shredded lettuce or mustard and
cress and a little mayonnaise.
Cook the sausages, and either cut
them into thin slices after remov-
ing the skin or mash.

Roast Beef, cut very thin, and
pickles, finely shredded.

Roast Veal minced with a third
of its quantity of minced ham or
congrue; mix with a spoonful of
brown or tomato sauce.

Salmon.—Finely flaked cooked
salmon mixed with mayonnaise
and cucumber or mustard and
cress.

Smoked Haddock, cooked,
pounded with enough melted but-
ter to make a paste. Season with
cayenne and anchovy essence, and
salt if necessary.

Blotter.—Prepare like the
smoked haddock.

Cheese and sliced olives.
Cream Cheese mixed with
chopped nuts of any kind.

Apple and Celery mixed with
mayonnaise.

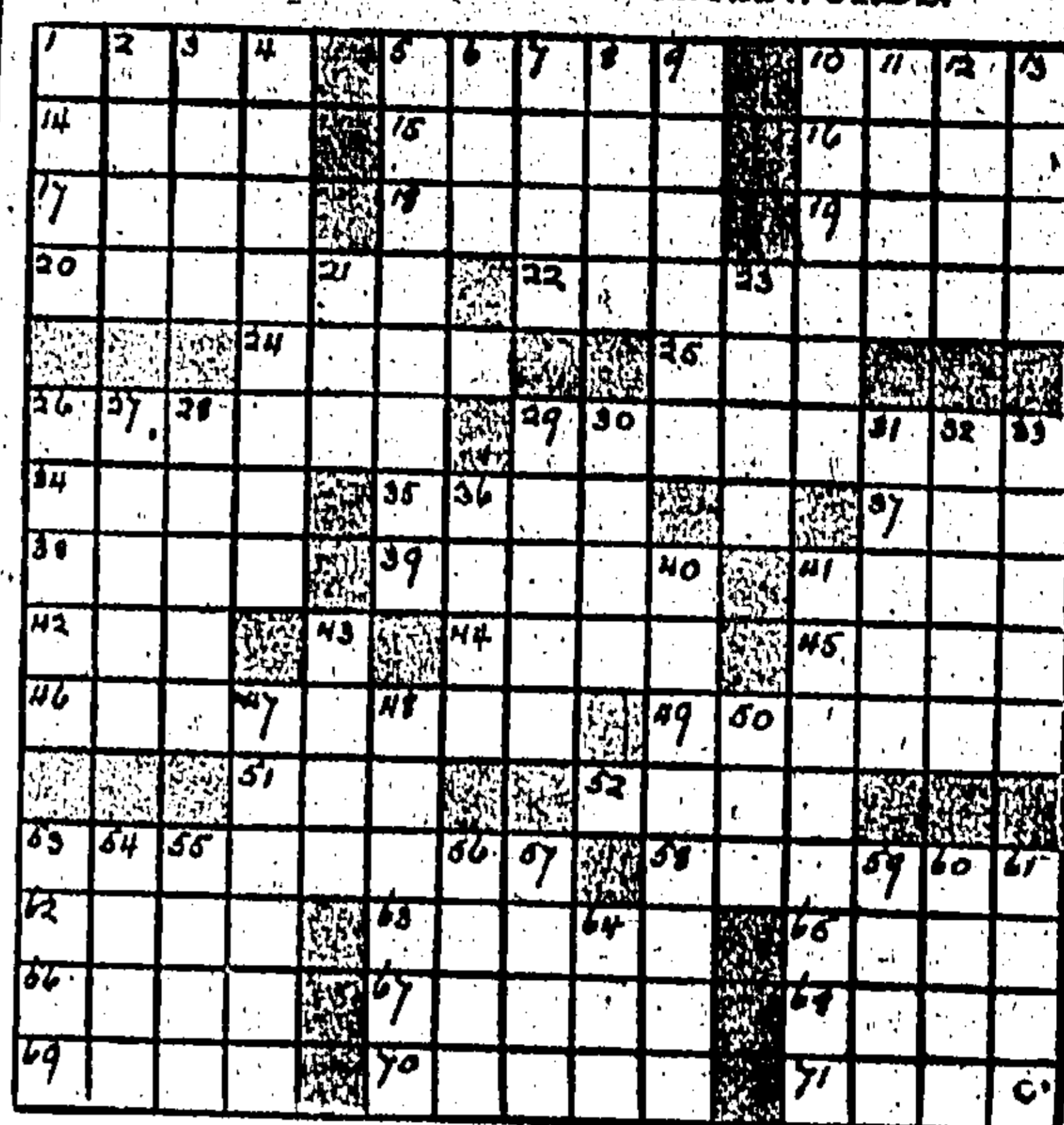
Chicken and Celery moistened
with cream or mayonnaise.

Egg and Cheese.—Pound a
chopped hard-boiled egg with
grated cheese and melted butter.
Season well.

Tomato and Mayonnaise.
Sardine Paste and Cucumber.

Sweet Sandwiches.—Honey;
lemon curd; jam and cream;
ginger and cream; banana and
nuts; banana, jam and cream;
date, orange juice and nuts, mixed
to paste after mincing.

OUR NEW BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



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 - Pertaining to a thread.
 - Sledge.
 - Prolonged pain.
 - Lift up.
 - Cavity.
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 - So let it be.
 - Soft-shaped seat.
 - Trade of a saddler.
 - Eagle.
 - Organ of sight.
 - Stocked.
 - Wearisome.
 - Headress.
 - Peet.
 - Shallow vessel.
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 - Peruser.
 - Used for determining weight.
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 - Doorkeeper of a free-mason's lodge.
 - Deliver orations.
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 - Not working.
 - Think.
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 - Inflammable liquids.
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WEST AFRICA.

PRINCE ARTHUR TO OPEN NEW RAILWAY.

London, May 18.
Prince Arthur of Connaught,
formerly Governor-General of
South Africa, will attend the
opening of the Benguela rail-
way. The ceremony, which is to
be performed by the Portuguese
Minister of the Colonies, is fixed
for June 10, at Luao, which is a
railhead about 840 miles from
Lobito Bay, on the frontiers of
Portuguese West Africa and the
Belgian Congo.

His Royal Highness will travel
to Lobito Bay with a party of
guests whom the Benguela Railway
Company has invited to be pre-
sent. The party leaves Southamp-
ton next Friday in the Union
Castle Liner, Carnarvon Castle,
which will make a special call at
Lobito Bay to disembark the
guests.

On the homeward journey the
Balmoral Castle will call special-
ly at Lobito Bay to embark the
party. Mr. H. W. Moffat, Premier
of Southern Rhodesia, intends to
be present at Luao and it is ex-

CHINA AND JAPAN.

TROOPS LEAVE SHANTUNG.

Peking, May 18.
A telegram from Tsingtao states
that a second Japanese transport
left for Japan on Friday, one is
leaving to-day and one to-morrow
(Sunday). Three are leaving on
Monday; thus completing the
evacuation.—*Reuter*.

Under Chinese Control.

Nanking, May 19.
The Commissioner of Foreign
Affairs of Shantung has in-
formed the Foreign Minister,
Dr. C. T. Wang, that all
the necessary proceedings for the
taking over of Tsingtao from the
Japanese were completed on the
18th inst.

All Japanese troops will have
evacuated Tsingtao by the 20th,
and the Shantung railway is now
under the complete Chinese control.
Order in Tsingtao and along the
Shantung railway is being well
maintained.—*Reuter*.

pected that the Government of the
Union of South Africa and Nor-
thern Rhodesia will also be re-
presented.—*British Wireless*.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.



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MONDAY MAY 20, 1929

KOWLOON MATTERS.

It is refreshing to note that the Kowloon Residents' Association continues with its policy of keeping the needs of the Peninsula well before the Government's notice. The latest monthly report issued discloses the fact that a great many matters of public interest have engaged the attention of the Committee. It is now nearly ten years since the Association came into being, and although in the interim other organisations on similar lines have blossomed into being, they would seem to have withered somewhat, if we are to judge by the infrequency with which we encounter any evidence of their activities. The K.R.A., however, not only maintains a healthy existence, but it believes in publicity. Its monthly reports give an excellent idea of the very useful work which it is undertaking on behalf of residents across the harbour. It is one thing in this Colony to start a new organisation, but quite another to keep it alive; and we note with gratification that although the K.R.A. has been instrumental in securing Kowloon representation on the Legislature, it continues to work along its own lines, not only serving the community, but also being of considerable value to the Government by reason of the advice it is able to tender from a first-hand knowledge of conditions on the Peninsula.

We observe from the latest report of the Committee that the Association has brought to the notice of the authorities the matter of bathing facilities at Lai-chi-kok. It would appear that at the outset a group of Chinese residents decided to co-operate with a view to providing matsheds at this spot, but we do not know whether it was because of this project or because the matter was brought to its attention by the K.R.A. that the Government has now decided to establish a public bathing beach in this locality. Be that as it may, it is satisfactory that the shortcoming is to be remedied, and inasmuch as the bathing season is now in full swing, we hope that no time will be lost in providing proper facilities for the benefit of residents in that part of the Peninsula as well as for the large number of

troops stationed nearby. Another matter which has continued to engage the attention of the Association is the question of children's playgrounds. It has long been established that the present playground in Chatham Road is in no sense adequate or ideal. Apart from the question of the disrepair of the gear and the unsatisfactory state of the ground, the supervision is far from what it should be, and it is to be hoped that the Government will see that this ground, so long as it remains in use, is made more suitable for the purpose for which it was intended. Incidentally, it is high time the authorities got a move on in regard to the promised new playground in Middle Road. So far as can be judged, no progress at all is being made with this long overdue project. It is gratifying also to note that the Association is endeavouring to secure a playground for Chinese children in Yau-mati. It has in mind a piece of waste ground which is at present littered with rubbish, the clearing up of which would give children in this neighbourhood a very suitable playing pitch.

One other matter which deserves mention is the question of traffic congestion at the Ferry approach. This is becoming increasingly serious. It is so much to the good to know that plans have been drawn up for the improvement of this area, but as money is not at present available for putting the proposed scheme into effect, we do think something might be done with a view to securing at least some partial amelioration of the existing traffic congestion. As the unsightly and obstructive ricksha shelter will have eventually to be removed, the Government might as well remove it now and provide the necessary accommodation at some spot which will accord with the plans for the new scheme. This could be done at very little cost, and it would certainly bring about a marked improvement in this region, where the traffic tangle is becoming increasingly worse.

The New War.

The impending new civil war in China takes nobody by surprise, not even its magnitude. The rival ambitions of Chiang Kai-shek and Feng Yu-hsiang have been running counter for so long, that the fight for supremacy, now heralded, seems rather overdue. The choice of this particular time for a commencement is not indicative of any fresh "offence" by Feng, at least to our mind, but merely reveals that Chiang's plans have matured, that he is now ready to throw everything into the pot in his effort to remove the Christian General from the realm of practical politics. We cannot find any decent pretext for a declaration of war in the accusations laid by Nanking against Feng, though we hold no brief for the Kuomintang leader. As we see it, Feng Yu-hsiang has grown tired of repeating, parrot-wise, his loyalty to Nanking when he has been thoroughly aware of the careful planning of Chiang for a coup, while Chiang, flushed perhaps by the ease of his success in the campaign against the Kwangsi Clique, finds he cannot wait any longer in doubt. The defeat of the Kuomintang is probably the hardest job Chiang Kai-shek has tackled, but he has started well by isolating his rival in his own territory, unable to look in any other direction for active assistance. Feng's defensive activities, the blowing up of railway bridges, the concentration of his troops into big armies, which have served Chiang as an excuse for an ultimatum, are more likely to be the result of Feng's spy system revealing the certainty of Chiang's intentions. The great puzzle is to participate on the Kwangsi side in the recent Yangtze war. His decision to sit on the fence may ultimately cost him his power, and influence, though we fear a long campaign, the result of which is by no means certain. Feng is fortunate in having under him the most efficient fighting force in China, and officers who have proved their absolute loyalty over and over again.

DAY BY DAY.

THE MAN WHO IS FORTUNATE ENOUGH TO BE ABLE TO GIVE RECEIVES MORE THAN THE POOR TAKER.
—Tuck.

A nine-year-old boy, the son of a villager of Hai Chow, New Territories, was drowned in a pool near the village, on Saturday.

The death occurred at the Victoria Hospital on Saturday night of Eileen, the twelve-month old daughter of Principal Warder W. Hill of the Victoria Gaol and Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. Johnson of No. 5, Bowen Road reported to the Police on Saturday that some person stole a gold wristlet watch worth \$40 from her bedroom between Friday and Saturday.

The Government have constructed an "island" opposite the entrance to the Star Ferry Pier on the Hongkong side and passengers will thus have some sanctuary from motor traffic. Cars will also be prevented from turning round the lamp post at this point.

A dinner was given at the Kam Ling Hotel last Friday night by the clerical staff of the Naval Store Department, H. M. Dockyard, to their chief, Mr. E. A. S. Hayward, O.B.E., on the occasion of his leaving, shortly, for England and retiring from service.

A Chinese Circus which has been touring Canton and Fatsan has arrived in the Colony and will give a number of performances in compliance with the request of the Athletic Association. The company will open its season in Hongkong, on the Reclamation, Praya East, to-morrow night, commencing at 9 p.m. There will be matinee performances on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m. each day.

**BRIDGE
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W.W. Wentworth

Defensive Bids—3.

When the no-trumper is at your right, you should not bid a suit unless eight tricks can be made with your own holding and your hand is strong enough to prevent game against any other declaration by opponents. Bidding on less than an eight-trick hand is not indulged in by strong players. A bid in this position is not a defensive bid. It is an offensive bid and should not be made unless you can bid three if opponents overcall. Unless you hold a two-suiter or a hand worth eight tricks the best strategy is to pass.

When the no-trumper is at your left, you may bid if your hand is almost as good as an original bid or a defensive bid of two, for the purpose of indicating to your partner the best suit to lead. The greatest losses are incurred by a bid of two in defiance of no trump when you do not hold five probable tricks. The fourth hand should bid only when the hand contains a real lead indicator or probability of game.

This article now may be summarized as follows:

1—Do not make a defensive bid unless total hand contains approximately 1½ quick tricks.

2—If you do not hold K or Q J in five-card suit, you must hold two quick tricks in balance of hand.

3—As a rule, do not bid a suit trump over a suit, unless hand contains two stops in opponents' suit.

4—As a rule, do not bid a suit over a no trump, when no-trumper is at your right unless you hold an eight-trick hand.

5—To make less than game usually is a waste of time. On a clear score, if with your hand you are reasonably satisfied that opponents cannot make game and that to make game you will require more than normal assistance from your partner, pass.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Sonatas.

[To The Editor of Hongkong Telegraph.]

Sir,—Your correspondent "C.B." has, I think, rather confused the issue of the relative importance of two instruments playing a sonata with "Sonata Form" which is a very wide subject, of which your contemporaries would seem to be blissfully ignorant. My original objection was to "Allegro's" statement that in a Sonata for two instruments—say Piano and Violin—the more "important" part is given to the Piano; he now says particularly by modern masters. In other words, he thinks that Brahms, Cesar Franck, and Elgar (for instance) consciously gave the more "important" part of their Piano and Violin Sonatas to the Piano. I can only say that I entirely disagree. "Allegro" and I must agree to differ—"Local Composers" must choose between us! "C.B." talks about the same theme being treated and developed in the various movements of a Sonata. This was hinted at by Brahms—and even Beethoven—, and developed by Franck into what Vincent D'Indy calls "Cyclic Form."

By the way, "Allegro" in his interesting "Jottings" (quoting Beverly Nichols) asserts that Schumann said of Chopin "Hats off gentlemen—a genius!" Schumann no doubt thought Chopin a genius and probably said so, but I think I am right in saying that the (rather fatuous) remark about "Hats off" was said of a gentleman called Sterndale Bennett of whom posterity has failed to confirm his admirers' opinion.—Yours, etc.,

DECRESCENDO.

Hongkong, May 18th, 1929.

POLICE RESERVE.

ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK.

Police Reserve Orders by Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, state:

Chinese Company

Squad Drill.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend at the Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, May 21st, at 5.30 p.m. sharp for squad drill under L/Sergeant R43 Ts'o Chi On. Dress—Muti.

Signalling.—The signalling Squad will attend at the Company's Headquarters for practice in Morse and Semaphore under Cr. Sergt. R15 Ow Young Kin Hong on Wednesday, May 22nd, at 6.30 p.m. sharp.

Annual Examination in Part 2.—The examination in Part 2 of Training Course will continue at the Company's Headquarters on Thursday, May 23rd, at 6.30 p.m. sharp under Chief Inspector H. J. Paterson, Principal of the Police Training School.

Indian Company.

Revolver Practice.—A revolver practice will be carried out on the Kennedy Road Range on Sunday, May 26th, at 9.00 a.m. sharp. Members will assemble at the Range at that time. Dress—White Uniform, Cap with White Cover, and Belt to be worn. All members including Recruits are requested to attend.

Flying Squad.

The weekly instructional patrol of the Kowloon Section will take place on Tuesday, May 21st. Fall in at the Tsim-ta-tau Fire Brigade Station at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—Khaki Uniform.

The weekly instructional patrol of the Hongkong Section will take place on Thursday, May 23rd. Fall in at the Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—Khaki Uniform.

Sharpshooters' Company.

Strength.—Constable R428 A. J. Manton has been permitted to resign upon completing one full year's service with effect from May 17th.

Revolver Practice.—Revolver practice will be carried out on Kennedy Road Range on Sunday, June 2nd, at 10.00 a.m. Members will assemble at the Range at that time, with belts and holsters with revolvers. Uniform optional.

(Sgd.) W. KENT, A. S. P.

Adjutant.

FRENCH PLANE LEAVES.

The Breguet seaplane which arrived here on Saturday left at 7 o'clock this morning on the return flight to Hanoi with the two airmen aboard.

The Very Idea!

"When travelling recently, on the Southern Railway," writes "S.D." to a Home paper, "a woman seated opposite to me put her head out of the carriage and called for some tea, explaining to her fellow passengers at large that she had been too busy to put up any lunch. Seeing the tea provided she drew in her head, remarking that it was too strong for her."

"A tripper in the corner then asked her companion to get some tea for them both, and having tasted it she turned to the particular passenger remarking, 'This is all right,' 'Ah!' was the reply, 'but I am used to China.'"

"Oh yes!" said the excursionist, "we always use china at home; but when you're out you have to take the crockery the Company provides!"

"This man had the audacity to propose to his wife that she should become his joint wife with another woman, he thus becoming a sort of Mormon." So said Lord Merrivale when disposing of the petition presented by Mrs. Edith Louisa Gammon, of West Lodge Park, Hadley Wood, Barnet.

The remark referred to her husband, Mr. John Charles Gammon, civil engineer, whom she accused of infidelity, which he did not deny. Mrs. Gammon was a widow when she married for the second time. Ultimately she learned of her husband's acquaintance with a girl employed in a shop. He refused to give her up, and it was alleged, suggested that his wife should "share" him with the other girl, which, of course, she declined to do. It was proved that Mr. Gammon stayed with the girl mentioned at Bro. Alastair. Mrs. Gammon was given a decree nisi.

[Our food inventors have never received the honour that is due to them, complains a writer.]

Their names, alas, are lost in time's obscurities; Their benefactions to the world remain; Our daily menus still reveal how sure it is They laboured wisely, well, and not in vain. Then, he who first submitted lamb and young Green peas deserves to share a nation's thanks With one whose crowning masterpiece of ham and tongue Earned him a place in those illustrious ranks.

North London Young Woman—I courted a man for three years and then left him seven months ago. We accidentally met on Tuesday night and he boxed my ears.

Motorist at Bow County Court—Women are responsible for most motor accidents. Out goes a hand, and you do not know if she is going to stop or turn right or left.

The new gold coinage of the French Republic shows the Goddess of Liberty with bobbed hair! Insurance against the risk of divorce is an innovation just adopted by a Parisian company.

To-day's Ghost Story.—One late autumn twilight I was walking home along a West Country road which borders some marshes. When I came near an old manor house I heard a curious sound proceeding from the marshes. At first I thought it was an owl, and being fond of those birds I climbed a gate, as the hedge was very high, and I there saw at the spot whence came the curious cry the form of a man with a gun coming up from the marshes. To my astonishment, he passed through the hedge, crossed the road, and through the gate without opening it, and passed up to the Manor House.

"I hastened home and told my brother-in-law what I had seen. After a minute's silence he said: 'That is where young—shot himself.' Shortly afterwards we went to tea at the Manor House with some people to whom the owners had let it. I told them what I had experienced, and my hostess said: 'Oh, yes, I have seen him more than once, sometimes in the corridors and sometimes in the garden, and always with his gun over his shoulder as when returning from duck shooting in the marshes.'"

Husband (entering and seeing the movers bringing piano downstairs)—Good Heavens, Madge, what's this? Didn't I leave you the instalment money for the collector?

Wife—"Ssh! I'm going to pay them as soon as they get it down. I decided to have the piano in the front parlour."

Here lies ill Gabriel's trumpet

The bones of Shelby Sharp.

He dozed while holding a steering wheel

And woke up holding a harp.

CANTON-HANKOW
RAILWAY.CONSTRUCTION FROM NORTH
TO BEGIN SOON.

INSPECTION ENDED.

Nanking, May 9.
Mr. H. S. Chuck, managing director and chief engineer for the unfinished portion of the Canton-Hankow Railway, arrived in Nanking this week to report on his inspection trip over the proposed route linking up Chuchow (in Hunan) with Shichow (in Kwangtung province). Mr. Chuck was accompanied by Mr. J. Weir, Consulting Engineer to the Ministry.

After reporting and conferring with the Minister of Railways, Mr. Sun Fo, Mr. Chuck left Nanking yesterday for Canton, where he will arrange to start construction of the first 31-mile section of the line from the northern terminus of the Kwangtung end. The estimated cost for building and equipping this section will be approximately \$7,000,000, and noteworthy engineering features include a bridge of seven spans with a total length of 760 feet at Shikwan, and a 1,400 feet tunnel at Kaolin, which is about half-finished.

Piers and abutments for the bridge have already been completed and the Kaolin tunnel was under construction until lately. Surveying parties sent out by Chief Engineer Chuck report that good progress is being made. As soon as construction is resumed, the Ministry of Railways will have taken the first step in completing the unfinished portion of the Railway linking Canton with Hankow.

A contract for the purchase of locomotives from Andersen, Meyer and Co. for the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, was signed between the American firm and Sun Ho-kao, Managing Director of the T. P. Railway, yesterday. By order of the Minister of Railways, the sum of gold \$63,525, is to be paid by the Tientsin-Pukow Railway as first instalment on the contract.—Kuo Min.

LOCAL RADIO.

BROADCAST PROGRAMME
FOR TO-DAY.

To-day's wireless programme broadcast by Z B W on 350 metres is as follows:

1.45 p.m.—Weather Report.
5.30—6.30 p.m.—Programme of Chinese Music. (New Moon records supplied through the courtesy of Messrs. Sincere Co., Ltd.)

7.45 p.m.—Evening Weather Report.
8 p.m.—Evening Programme.

(Victor & H.M.V. records supplied through the courtesy of Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.)

"The Vagabond King"
"Lady Luck"

Vocal Gems H.M.V. Light Opera Company.

"Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2" (Liszt) Alfred Cortot.

"Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo) Selection Creators' Band.

"Pagliacci-Prólogo" Baritone Lawrence Tibbett.

"On With The Play"
"No! Punchinello No More" (from "Pagliacci")

Tenor Giovanni Martinelli.
"Laughing Marionette"

"Jennine" (I Dream of Lillie Time) De Groot and His Orchestra.

"There Is A Flower That Blooms"
"I Passed By Your Window"

Tenor Walter Glyne.
"Bertram Addresses The Tenants"

"Bertram At The Rotary Dinner"
Humorous Talking Will Kings.

"Bohème-Rudolph's Narrative"
"Lolita-Spanish Serenade"

Tenor Enrico Caruso.
"Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 6" Pianoforte Solo

Mischa Levitzki.
"I Think Of What You Used To Think Of Me"

"Like The Big Pets Do"
Comedienne Gracie Fields.

"Air On G String"
"Londonderry Air"

H.M.V. New Symphony Orchestra.

"Mountain Lovers"
"Nirvana"

Tenor John Turner.
"Evensong"

"Because"
Organ Solo Terence Casey.

"Till Sing These Songs Of Araby"
"Sigh No More Ladies"

Tenor Derek Oldham.
"The Tale Of The Talkies"

"General Post"
Talking Leonard Henry.

"Trot Horse And There"
"The Swing Song"

Vocal Duet Winnie Melville & Derek Oldham.

"For Old Time's Sake"
"Paradise Isle"

Tenor Morton Downey.
"Cavatina" (Raf) De Groot (Violin).

"Parked" (Tento) Terence Casey (Wurlitzer Organ).

"Of Men River" (Horn)
"The Banjo Song" (Horn)

Bass-Baritone Peter Dawson.
Gems From "Blackbirds Of 1925"

"St. Louis Blues"
Warren Mills and His Blue Serenaders.

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

DANCING GIRLS IN
GAMBLING CLUB.TWO LONDON EMPLOYMENT
AGENCIES STRUCK OFF.

The adventures of a troupe of dancers on the Continent were told at a special meeting of the L.C.C. Public Control Committee when the County Council opposed the granting of a licence to Miss Violet Victoria Jennings (Lillian Grace Academy) to carry on an employment agency in Gerrard-street, W.

The Council also asked that the licence granted to Mr. Victor Mendle Wallace (the Victor M. Wallace Direction) to carry on an employment agency at Upper St. Martin's-lane, W.C., should be rescinded.

Mr. A. G. Chamings, chief officer of the Public Control Department of the L.C.C., said that Miss Jennings carried on a stage-dancing school. In December, 1928, Mr. Wallace entered into an agreement with a coloured man in Brussels and became his sole representative in the United Kingdom for months.

On December 31, Mr. Wallace approached Miss Jennings, and as a result she obtained six girls to go to Brussels for a four week's dancing contract at a salary of 24 a week.

On the day of their arrival in Brussels he said, the girls were taken to a club which was primarily open for gambling. On the following day they were told that their work was poor and that they would not be wanted again. The troupe rehearsed on their own and subsequently appeared at the club again, but the engagement was obviously only for a week, although the girls had been promised a month's contract.

Later, said Mr. Chamings, the dancers were sent to Luxemburg, but discovered that they were expected to appear in a disorderly house. They then went to Ghent.

"Badly Treated."

Altogether the girls were very badly treated. They received less than half their salaries, and applications to Mr. Wallace and Miss Jennings for the outstanding wages since their return to England had been unsuccessful.

One girl stated in evidence that at the Madrid Cafe, Luxemburg, they were told that they were not expected for some days, but that they could stay if they cared to sell champagne until four o'clock in the morning. No salary would be paid, but they would receive commission on the champagne sold.

Another witness said that men tried to force their way into her room at the Madrid Cafe.

Other girls gave similar evidence.

Mr. Harold Blunk, senior examiner at the Passport Office, read letters from the British Vice-Consul at Brussels and the British Consul at Luxemburg, stating that the Madrid Cafe had an evil reputation.

Mr. Wallace stated, in evidence, that the troupe went to Luxemburg without his knowledge. The girls were suspended at the cabaret in Brussels because of their misbehaviour. He did not accept the representation of the foreign agent until he had made inquiries as to his character and satisfied himself that he was a man of honour.

Miss Jennings said that she considered she had carried out her obligations to the dancers and had acted in a manner expected of the holder of an L.C.C. licence.

After a retirement the Committee announced their decision to refuse Miss Jennings's licence and revoke Mr. Wallace's licence.

ICEBERG THRILLS FOR
PASSENGERS.

LINER'S PERIL IN FOG.

New York, Apr. 25.
Arctic disturbances dislodging an unusually large number of icebergs and flocks into the southward current have created such a menace to shipping off Newfoundland that the International Mercantile Marine has announced that until the danger abates its vessels will take a southern route.

This decision has followed the nerve-racking experiences of the commanders of two vessels, the Pennland and the Cedric, who kept long duty on the bridge while the vessels felt their way through the ice. The Pennland's situation was the graver, as fog forced Commander V. L. Making to halt the vessel and put boats out ahead as picket while the vessel drifted with the current through the darkness, and all around the ship icebergs crashed and broke with a sound like cannonading.

The Cedric's position was less precarious due to the lifting of the fog, but Captain Hume remained on constant duty on the bridge for fourteen hours, taking the vessel through the large flocks on which the passengers saw herds of seals to which they threw bread. Throughout the darkness both captains received constant warnings from the ice patrol cutter Tampa, which also warned the Cunard liners Antonia and California that ice conditions were unusually bad.

SHANGHAI RACING.
REVENUE.TOO LARGE FOR ABOLITION
OF SPORT.

CHINESE ENQUIRIES.

Shanghai, May 13.
A loud outcry for the abolition of racing in Shanghai has been raised but such a move is far from the intentions of the authorities of the Shanghai (Chinese) Municipality. An investigation has revealed that the two race courses in Chinese territory produce revenue of \$600,000, according to the Chinese newspapers, and therefore racing will be permitted to continue.

Both pony and dog racing have been the targets of agitation. Crime, suicides and poverty have been traced by the agitators to racing and an outcry was raised.

MISSING FLIERS.



These two Australian fliers, Lieut. James Moir, above, and Flying Officer Harold Owen, lower, are to-day reported missing on their flight from England to Australia.

by certain sections of the Chinese for the abolition of all forms of racing. Cash sweeps were characterized as lotteries and a movement sponsored by a number of Chinese officials was commenced and resulted in a direct appeal to the Consular Body for the total abolition of all forms of betting on race tracks.

Recently an official of the Kiangsu Provincial Government was detailed to make an investigation of pony racing in Shanghai and his investigation led him to two of the race tracks outside the Settlement limits. He examined the various forms of betting at the Kiangwan and Ying Hsiang Ziang Clubs, according to the Chinese press, and has submitted his findings to the Provincial Government.

BANVARD COMPANY'S
SUCCESSSES."ROOKERY NOOK" AND "THE
FANATICS."

The popularity of the Banvard English Comedy Company has been amply demonstrated over the week-end when they played "Rookery Nook" and "The Fanatics" to large audiences at the Star Theatre, where they are paying a return visit.

On Saturday, Ben Travers' delightful farce provided entertainment of a high order, Barty Russell being in one of his most whimsical moods, while Henry Corner gave one of his best performances, Miss Kathleen Vaughan made a charming Rhoda.

"The Fanatics" did not attract the capacity audience with which it was greeted on its first showing in Hongkong, but a somewhat difficult and thought-provoking piece was excellently played, and thoroughly appreciated.

To-night, the Company is giving "Thank" another excellent farce by Ben Travers, while to-morrow "Diversion" which is new to the Colony, will fill the bill.

MYSTERY OF A REPORT.

DOCTOR AND "INFLUENCES
AT WORK."

London, Apr. 26.

At the annual conference of the Central Association for Mental Welfare yesterday, Dr. A. F. Tredgold, a member of the Special Joint Committee of the Board of Education, referred to the report of the special investigation carried out by Dr. E. C. Lewis, on behalf of the Joint Committee of the Board of Education and the Board of Control on Mental Deficiency.

"I regard it as most unfortunate in the first place," he remarked, "that the Government Department concerned should have required the report to be divided into two sections, dealing with children and adults respectively; and, secondly, that the part dealing with adults should not have been published."

"What may be the reason I do not know, but it is impossible to read the answers given to the many questions which have been asked in the House of Commons regarding the matter, without feeling that some mysterious influences are at work in some place or other to delay, or even prevent, its publication."

"If this is so, it is a very grave matter. It seems to me a most extraordinary thing that it should be possible to hide the carefully considered opinions and recommendations of an independent committee on such an important subject from the country in this way."

"I very much doubt whether the public authorities who are charged with the duty of providing for these defectives, whether Parliament, and whether the country, will tolerate such an autocratic procedure, which is so totally at variance with our national ideals and reputation for integrity."

He has concluded that, as the annual contribution from the race meetings in Chinese territory amounts to \$600,000, it would be most inadvisable to abolish this form of sport. He explains that his decision in the respect was influenced by the fact that as the ex-Mayor of Shanghai, Mr. Chang Ting-fan, had approved of pony racing it was a difficult matter to abolish the sport.

FENG AND CHIANG
AT GRIPS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Ying-ching at a banquet given him by the Chinese Chamber on Friday evening.

General Ho dwelt on the situation with reference to Feng Yu-hsiang, inferring that he is a grave danger to the nation and said that since Moscow utterly failed to Bolshevise South China, the Soviet had made Honan, Shensi and Kansu its experimental ground.

Concluding he urged the people of Hupeh to support the Central Government in its fight against communism.—Reuter.

The Whole Country Up.

Shanghai, May 19.
Military movements are spreading through China.

Chang Hsueh-liang of Mukden is reported to be mobilising 50,000 Fengtien troops who will apparently be utilised to garrison the Tangshan coal area, replacing Tang Sang-chi's troops, who are concentrating in the northwest of Shantung for an advance against Feng Yu-hsiang.—Reuter.

Feng's Change of Front.

Hankow, May 18.

It is believed that the Kuominchun withdrawal from Wuhsenkwan indicates a change of westward front towards the Han River. Since the Peking-Hankow railway is thoroughly blocked by the blowing up of numerous bridges north of Wuhsenkwan, it is deemed impossible for the Government troops to advance by railway. It is learned that Feng's 29th Division, formerly at Wuhsenkwan, is reinforcing the Kuominchun Garrison at Luohokow, while from this side eight divisions under the command of Chu Shao-liang from Shasi have been hurried up the Han River to reinforce the Garrisons at Siangyang and Fancheng.—Reuter.

More Bridge Destruction.

Peking, May 19.

The orgy of bridge-blasting continues. The Kuominchun have now made the Lunghai railway impassable, wrecking bridges eastward of Kweichow.

There is not the slightest indication here of Feng's intentions in the event of fighting, but well-informed persons believe he has insufficient munitions to last more than a month of intensive fighting. Some quarters think he will make a desperate attempt to capture Wuhan in order to reinforce himself from Hanyang.

It is considered impossible for him to take his huge army into famine-stricken Shensi and Kansu. Practically all the Shanai troops have withdrawn from this province, the remaining garrisons being chiefly the former Chihli-Shantung troops and Sun Chuan-fang's men. As soon as fighting starts, it is expected the Fengtien party will rush garrisons into Chihli.

In Peking the Kuominchun Mayor, Ho Chi-kung, is taking refuge in the Legation quarter.—Reuter.

Hupeh Troops Unreliable.

Hankow, May 18.

General Ho Kuo-kwang is leaving here to-day for Shasi to take over command of five divisions of former Hupeh troops there whose loyalty is doubtful, while Ho Ying-chin remains in command locally.—Reuter.

DRAMATIC FILM.

JOHN BARRYMORE IN "WHEN
A MAN LOVES."

Using as a basis Abbe Prevost's classic story of Manon Lescaut on which the grand opera was based, Warner Brothers are offering a liberally adapted version under the title "When A Man Loves" with John Barrymore as the star and Dolores Costello featured. The picture will be shown at the Queen's Theatre from Thursday to Saturday.

The dramatic highlights of the original have been retained although some changes have been made in the settings and events leading up to them, and a stirring dramatic climax shows the hero instigating a mutiny aboard the convict ship which gives the chance for the suggestion of a happy ending instead of picturing Manon's death as in the original.

The theme of this production is the passionate romance of an unsophisticated girl from the provinces and a young nobleman who letting the flesh overcome the call of the spirit, succumbs to the fascination of this girl on two different occasions just as he is about to enter a monastery and take holy orders.

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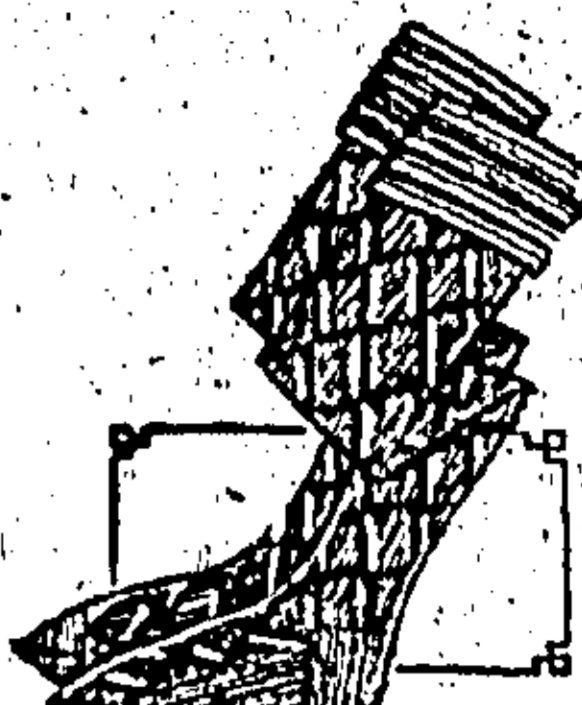
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A KOREAN PLOT.

MANY ARRESTS MADE
IN SEOUL.

Tokyo, May 18.
The Asahi's special correspondent at Seoul reports the arrest of 150 Koreans, who are alleged to have been plotting against the administration with the assistance of a group of alien Radicals. A large quantity of revolvers, bombs and documents was also seized, according to the report. Official confirmation is still lacking.—Reuter.

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THE WORLD OF SPORT



SATURDAY'S RACES.

MR. HEARD HEADS WINNING JOCKEYS.

There was some good sport at Happy Valley on Saturday, when the first day's events of the White Stakes Meeting were run off. Mr. Heard was the most successful jockey, having three wins to his credit. The results were:

The Results.
1.—Green Island Handicap: "C" Class: Six Furlongs—For China Ponies, other than Subscription Grifflins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, Substitute Stakes, or an "A" Class Handicap since January 1, 1929, barred. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

James's Rummy 151 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1
R. M. Austin's False Alarm 150 lbs. (Mr. Arnold) 2
W. E. L. Shenton's The Plamigan 153 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran: Sunshine (Mr. Soares), Bowden (Mr. Backhouse), Cavalier (Mr. Lee), King's Parade (Mr. Stanton), Kom Tong Hall (Mr. Harrison), Kum On (Mr. Sewell), (Mr. Remedios), Pumpkin (Mr. Liang), Sopron (Mr. A. B. S. Clarke), The Jungle Book (Mr. Botelho), and White Mist (Mr. Proulx).
Time: 1 min. 34 secs.
Six lengths; 3 1/2 lengths.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$16.50; places, 1st \$8.80, 2nd \$11.70, 3rd \$22.60.

Betting.
Winner Places
Rummy 259 32
Cavalier 144 32
Sunshine 134 314
Kum On 103 142
False Alarm 91 219
Kom Tong Hall 78 128
Sopron 71 130
May 71 112
King's Parade 67 118
The Plamigan 63 84
The Jungle Book 9 18
Bowden 7 12
Pumpkin 6 9
White Mist 3 11
2.—Green Island Handicap: "B" Class: Six Furlongs—For China Ponies, other than Subscription Grifflins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, Substitute Stakes, or an "A" Class Handicap since January 1, 1929, barred. Entrance Fee \$5. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Mrs. K. E. Beith's Cream Cracker 149 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1
Ulster's Ace of Spades 158 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Lee) 2
Cheng and Nig's Glory 157 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3

Also ran: Panling Slag (Mr. Proulx), As You Like It (Mr. Clarke), Duke of Nieblung (Mr. Remedios), Erstwhile (Mr. Arnold), Monk (Mr. Harrison), Mount Elburz (Mr. Soares), Mowgli (Mr. Stanton), Tarzan (Mr. Backhouse), and Zircon II (Mr. Newbiggin).
Time: 1 min. 33 1/5 secs.
Three lengths; half a length.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$11.50; places, 1st \$6.50, 2nd \$11.40, 3rd \$7.30.

Betting.
Winner Places
Cream Cracker 467 636
Glory 220 429
Ace of Spades 102 168
Monk 101 189
Erstwhile 74 106
Mount Elburz 67 87
Mowgli 62 120
Zircon II 67 108
As You Like It 22 57
Tarzan 10 42
Panling Slag 9 30
Duke of Nieblung 4 14
3.—Green Island Handicap: "A" Class: Six Furlongs—For China Ponies, other than Subscription Grifflins, which have won the Aggregate Stakes, Substitute Stakes, or an "A" Class Handicap since January 1, 1929, barred. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Dynasty's Young Pretender 155 lbs. (Mr. Newbiggin) 1
W. T. Stanton's Buster 153 lbs. (Mr. W. T. Stanton) 2
Ho Kom Tong Imperial Hall 151 lbs. (Mr. G. A. Harriman) 3

Also ran: Nookhall (Mr. Heard), Blue World (Mr. Lee), City Hall (Mr. Arnold), Fifty Fifty (Mr. da Roza), Ideal Star (Mr. McCartney), San Francisco (Mr. Cave), and Sunning (Mr. Charles).
Time: 1 min. 31 5/8 secs.
Two and a half lengths; one length.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$40.70; places, 1st \$15.70, 2nd \$45.20, 3rd \$8.20.

Betting.
Winner Places
Imperial Hall 322 469
Nookhall 211 414
San Francisco 109 300
Young Pretender 123 152
City Hall 104 116
Fifty Fifty 65 208
Blue Danube 44 89
Buster 21 42
Ideal Star 8 5
4.—Third Aggregate Stakes: One Mile—Value \$500. For all China Ponies, Weight 10 st. 9 lb. Winners of a race Value \$500 or over, other than a race confined to Subscription Grifflins, or Ponies that have won the aggregate prize in the Aggregate Stakes in any season, 5 lb. extra.

A Cup to be run for five times, or as decided by the Committee, called the Aggregate Cup, will be presented at the end of the season to be won by the pony scoring most marks in the races for the Aggregate Stakes at

the extra meetings during the season, counting 4 points for a first; 2 for a second; and 1 for a third. 2nd prize: \$300. 3rd prize: \$150.
Linson's Chesapeake Bay 154 lbs. (Mr. G. A. Harriman) 1
Belth and Heard's Christmas Chimes 154 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2
Mr. Han Un's Monterey Bay 149 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 3
Also ran: Huntington (Mr. Stanton).
Time: 2 mins. 03 1/5 secs.
Two lengths; "Dead Heat".
Pari-mutuel, winner \$11.00; places, 1st \$5.10, 2nd \$5.10, 3rd \$2.00.
Christmas Chimes and Monterey Bay.

Betting.
Winner Places
Christmas Chimes 739 485
Chesapeake Bay 704 485
Monterey Bay 177 130
Huntington 45 45
5.—Cust Rock Stakes: One Mile—For China Ponies, Subscription Grifflins of this Club of any season. Winners of this year only. Winners of two races, weight for inches; winners of three races 5 lbs. penalty; more than three races 10 lbs. penalty; winners of one race allowed 5 lbs. Jockey allowance. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

John Peel's Skinfaxi 155 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 1
Liang & Wong's O-Moon 158 lbs. (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 2
Wayfoong's The Jamaica 150 lbs. (Mr. Newbiggin) 3

Also ran: The Sun (Mr. Stanton), Flying Stag (Mr. Soares), The Apo (Mr. Harrison), and Zephyr (Mr. Arnold).
Time: 2 mins. 07 3/5 secs.
One length; six lengths.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$8.80; places, 1st \$9.70, 2nd \$11.60, 3rd \$9.20.

Betting.
Winner Places
Skinfexi 758 755
The Apo 213 503
The Sun 176 202
The Jamaica 171 303
O-Moon 98 193
Flying Stag 50 128
Zephyr 49 110
6.—Peng Chau Stakes: Once Round (about 7 furlongs 55 yards)—For China Ponies—Non-winning Subscription Grifflins of this Club of any season. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won five flat races in Hongkong, China, or elsewhere. Jockeys 2 lbs. extra for each win. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$150. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Mrs. R. M. Austin's Harmony 153 lbs. (Mr. Arnold) 1
Ip and Mo's Inca 152 lbs. (Mr. Lee) 2
Lau and Lee's Duke of Milan 157 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Lee) 3

Also ran: Movannagier (Mr. Cave), Chicot (Mr. da Roza), Half Pint (Mr. Botelho), Hercetore (Mr. Basto), Mirror Hall (Mr. Liang), Mountain Air (Mr. S. T. Wong), Paaya (Mr. McCartney), Ploughman (Mr. Lee), and Sopron (Mr. Clarke).
Time: 1 min. 57 3/5 secs.
Four lengths; three lengths.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$9.90; places, 1st \$6.00, 2nd \$10.70, 3rd \$9.40.

Betting.
Winner Places
Harmony 378 885
Movannagier 124 270
Papaya 106 231
Duke of Milan 99 217
Inca 53 165
Sopron 35 92
Mountain Air 22 56
Half Pint 16 54
Mirror Hall 6 17
Ploughman 4 18
Hercetore 4 20
Chicot 4 20
7.—Beaufort Handicap: "B" Class: One and a Quarter Miles—For China Ponies. Entrance Fee \$5. 1st Prize: \$400. 2nd Prize: \$200. 3rd Prize: \$100.

Kitchell and Li's Duke of Melrose 158 lbs. (Mr. Harrison) 1
Roda's Bright Prospect 141 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 2
Ulster's Erin's Lalo 158 lbs. (Mr. Charles) 3

Also ran: Brigado Call (Mr. Arnold), Doubtful (Mr. Lee), Duke of Normandy II (Mr. Lee), King's Falloch (Mr. da Roza), Nara Stag (Mr. Soares), Slatmar (Mr. Stanton), and Tangle (Mr. Heard).
Time: 2 mins. 42 4/5 secs.
Length and a half; one length.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$27.50; places, 1st \$12.90, 2nd \$97.90, 3rd \$23.20.

Betting.
Winner Places
Tangle 401 518
Slatmar 378 385
King's Falloch 273 458
Duke of Melrose 249 316
Erin's Lalo 94 138
Brigado Call 82 168
Nara Stag 80 158
Doubtful 15 34
Duke of Normandy II 18 28
Bright Prospect 7 40
8.—Beaufort Handicap: "A" Class: One and a Quarter Miles—For China Ponies. 1st Prize: \$450. 2nd Prize: \$200. 1st Prize: \$100.

Yam Man's One-Third 160 lbs. (Mr. da Roza) 1
Eve's Grand Tattoo Eve 166 lbs. (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 2
Harbot's City Hall 157 lbs. (Mr. R. H. Charles) 3

Also ran: Roso Hall (Mr. Soares), Blue World (Mr. Stanton), and Town Hall (Mr. Harrison).
Time: 2 mins. 58 3/5 secs.
Two lengths; two and a half lengths.
Pari-mutuel, winner \$14.70; places, 1st \$7.90, 2nd \$7.30, 3rd \$20.20.

Betting.
Winner Places
Grand Tattoo Eve 480 888
One-Third 423 802
Town Hall 257 825
Roso Hall 228 238
Blue World 29 70
City Hall 24 59

U.S. BASEBALL.

MATCH RESULTS AND LEAGUE STANDINGS.

New York, May 15.
Yesterday's baseball matches resulted as follows:

National League.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	12	16	1
New York	3	7	2
Chicago	7	14	1
Boston	4	7	0
Pittsburgh	9	14	1
Brooklyn	4	11	1
St. Louis	4	8	0
Philadelphia	1	11	0

American League.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	1	8	1
Cleveland	7	9	0
Boston	4	10	0
Chicago	8	14	1
Philadelphia	5	9	3
Detroit	6	13	3
Washington	3	7	0
St. Louis	5	10	3

The League standings now are:

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	15	8	.652
St. Louis	15	8	.652
Pittsburgh	11	9	.550
Boston	11	10	.523
Cincinnati	11	12	.454
Philadelphia	9	11	.450
New York	7	11	.388
Brooklyn	6	18	.272

American League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	14	8	.636
New York	13	8	.619
St. Louis	14	10	.575
Detroit	16	12	.571
Cleveland	12	12	.500
Chicago	10	15	.400
Washington	8	13	.380
Boston	7	16	.304

KENTUCKY DERBY.

AMERICAN CLASSIC WON BY CLYDE VAN DUSEN.

Louisville, May 19.
The Kentucky Derby resulted as follows:
Clyde van Dusen 1
Nashapur 2
Panchito 3
Twenty-one started. The winner's time was 2 mins. 10 4/5 secs. The winner, who is owned by H. P. Gardner, received \$653,950.
A large crowd of racing fans witnessed the race, approximately 50,000 spectators being present.—*Reuter's American Service.*

DERBY CANDIDATE.

CRAGADOUR SHOWS UP BADLY IN GALLOP.

London, May 19.
According to the *Observer* Lord Astor's Cragadour which is fancied for the Derby, went badly in a gallop at Manton yesterday. The horse pulled up sore, which is possibly a recurrence of last season's splint trouble.
The prospect of his competing in the Derby is seriously discounted.—*Reuter.*

THE CASH SWEEPS.

Lucky Numbers in Saturday's Drawings.

The following are the results of the sweeps:

the sweeps:		Race 1.	
No. 288		\$614.60	
" 83		175.60	
" 294		87.80	
Unplaced runners \$50 each, Nos. 8			
221, 375, 327, 441, 449, 293, 364, 4			
387, 365.			
		Race 2.	
No. 105		\$278.60	
" 173		279.60	
" 141		139.80	
Unplaced runners \$50 each, Nos.			
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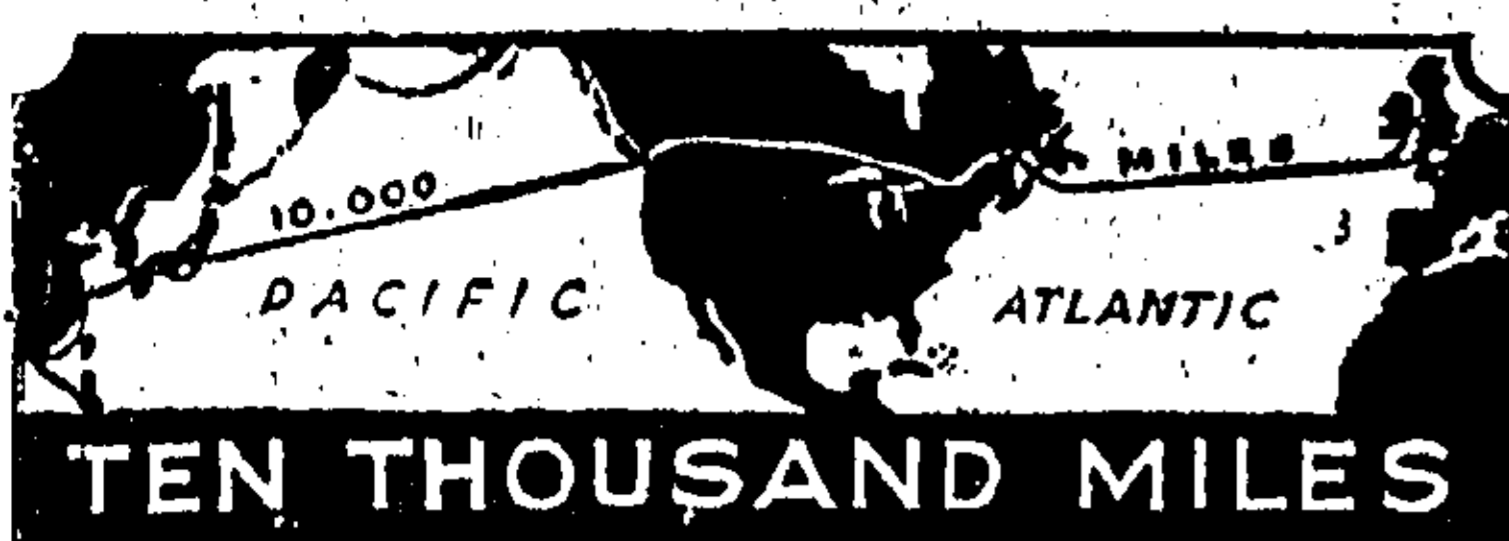
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LAWN TENNIS LEAGUE.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB VICTORIES.

Of the full programme of thirteen matches played in the three divisions of the Hongkong Tennis League on Saturday, only four were decided by the odd set. In the other games the margins of victory were convincing, no less than three Clubs, in the junior divisions, securing the maximum number of sets.

The Hongkong C. C., who unexpectedly accounted for the Chinese R. C. in the "A" Division the previous week, had little difficulty in taking the points from the Craigengower C. C. The other two teams from the town club were also successful, the combination in the "C" Division taking all nine sets from the R.A.O.C.

"A" DIVISION.

Hongkong C.C. Take Point From Craigengower.

The Hongkong C.C. won their second consecutive match by defeating the Craigengower at Happy Valley by six sets to three. Scores:—

J. W. Leonard and O. Ismail (C.C.C.) lost to E. D. Lawrence and H. Owen Hughes 4-6; beat J. G. Laurie and H. J. Armstrong 6-4; lost to G. W. Sewell and A. D. Humphreys 0-6.

G. Lai and Y. Hachiuma (C.C.C.) lost to Lawrence and Owen Hughes 4-6; lost to Laurie and Armstrong 2-6; lost to G. W. Sewell and A. D. Humphreys 2-6.

H. D. Rumbach and G. Bodiker (C.C.C.) lost to Lawrence and Owen Hughes 4-6; beat Laurie and Armstrong 6-2; beat Sewell and Humphreys 6-1.

Chinese R.C. v M.B.K.

At Causeway Bay, the Chinese R.C. defeated the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha by six sets to three. Scores:—

Ng Sze-jung and C. Chon (C.R.C.) lost to Honda and T. Akiyama 3-6; beat T. Yamada and T. Imura 6-1; lost to Y. Ukiuchi and H. Yoshida 3-6.

M. W. Lo and M. K. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Honda and Akiyama 3-6; beat Yamada and Imura 6-3; beat Ukiuchi and Yoshida 6-4.

H. K. Lin and Yew Man-Kit (C.R.C.) beat Honda and Akiyama 6-3; beat Yamada and Imura 6-3; beat Ukiuchi and Yoshida 6-4.

South China v University.

On their own ground the South China A.A. defeated the H.K. University by five sets to four. Scores:—

Li Woon-tsoi and Li Wei-tsoi (S.C.A.A.) beat G. de Souza and H. K. Lee 6-4; beat Prof. Forster and Prof. Tottenham 6-2; lost to T. K. Tam and T. W. Chong 3-6.

Chan So and Ho Wah-ling (S.C.A.A.) beat de Souza and Lee 6-1; beat Forster and Tottenham 9-7; beat Tam and Chong 6-1.

T. S. Cho and W. S. Yau (S.C.A.A.) lost to de Souza and Lee 4-6; lost to Forster and Tottenham 4-6; lost to Tam and Chong 3-6.

Kowloon C.C. v Recreio.

On their own ground the Kowloon C.C. defeated the Club de Recreio by eight sets to one. Scores:—

F. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.) beat R. Roberts and V. Yvanovich 7-5; beat F. J. Remedios and A. V. Gosano 6-0; beat H. A. Barros and E. A. Noronha 6-2.

S. E. Green and T. Lay (K.C.C.) beat Roberts and Yvanovich 6-4; beat Remedios and Gosano 6-2; beat Barros and Noronha 6-1.

C. E. Millard and F. Gross (K.C.C.) beat Roberts and Yvanovich 6-4; lost

to Remedios and Gosano 4-6; beat Barros and Noronha 6-1.

"B" DIVISION.

Chinese R.C. Win By Nine Sets.

For the second week in succession the Chinese R.C. won their league fixture by nine sets. On Saturday they met the Indian R.C. on the latter's courts. Scores:—

S. A. R. Bux and S. A. Ismail (I.R.C.) lost to H. Lo and Lu Tak-chuk 3-6; lost to Lau Man-kwong and Lu Tak-lam 4-6; lost to Lai Kwong-tsun and Lau Fook-ki 2-6.

S. S. Hussain and D. Mohamed (I.R.C.) lost to Lo and Lu 1-6; lost to Lau and Lu 3-6; lost to Lai and Lau 4-6.

A. H. Madar and N. B. Kitchell (I.R.C.) lost to Lo and Lu 3-6; lost to Lau and Lu 2-6; lost to Lai and Lau 0-6.

Recreio v Hongkong C.C.

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio lost to Hongkong C.C. by four sets to five. Scores:—

L. A. Ribeiro and A. V. Remedios (C. de R.) lost to C. E. Holmes and O. E. C. Martin 4-6; lost to R. K. Valentini and W. A. Nowers 3-6; beat E. J. R. Mitchell and C. G. Stark 6-2.

C. A. Barretto and A. A. Remedios (C. de R.) lost to Holmes and Nowers 0-6; lost to Valentini and Nowers 2-6; beat Mitchell and Stark 6-4.

L. A. Rocha and G. A. Noronha (C. de R.) lost to Holmes and Martin 3-6; beat Valentini and Nowers 6-4; beat Mitchell and Stark 0-2.

Kowloon C.C. v R.E. and H.S.

On their own ground, the Kowloon C.C. lost to the Royal Engineers and Royal Corps of Signals by four sets to five. Scores:—

L. Jack and W. Brown (K.C.C.) lost to Col. Skinner and Capt. de Linde 3-6; beat Maj. Tash and Sgt. Trumper 7-5; lost to Maj. Kerich and S/M Atkinson 4-6.

F. I. Zimmerman and G. Lee (K.C.C.) lost to Skinner and de Linde 3-6; lost to Tash and Trumper 4-6; beat Kerich and Atkinson 6-2.

A. E. Guest and W. Gittins (K.C.C.) beat Skinner and de Linde 9-7; beat Tash and Trumper 7-5; lost to Kerich and Atkinson 5-7.

University v Nippon.

At Pokfulam the University lost to the Nippon Club by two sets to seven. Scores:—

G. E. Yeoh and Prof. Bide (University) lost to N. Nomura and K. Suennaga 2-6; lost to T. Fujieda and K. Yoshikawa 2-6; lost to K. Nakura and Y. Sajiki 2-6.

T. K. Lien and P. Y. Khoo (University) lost to Nomura and Suennaga 3-6; lost to Fujieda and Yoshikawa 3-6; beat Nakura and Sajiki 9-7.

Y. F. Chew and D. J. N. Anderson (University) beat Nomura and Suennaga 6-4; lost to Fujieda and Yoshikawa 4-6; lost to Nakura and Sajiki 4-6.

Y.M.C.A. v South China.

On their own ground, the Young Men's Christian Association defeated the South China Athletic Association by eight sets to one. Scores:—

Rev. Evans and White (Y.M.C.A.) beat S. K. Tam and L. F. Tin 6-1; beat H. Chan and A. Chan 6-2; lost to F. L. Wong and Y. L. Yung 7-9.

T. J. Price and E. R. Price (Y.M.C.A.) beat Tam and Tin 6-0; beat Chan and Chan 6-4; beat Wong and Yung 6-1.

E. Ponsford and C. S. Pile

(Y.M.C.A.) beat Tam and Tin 6-1; beat Chan and Chan 6-1; beat Wong and Yung 6-2.

"C" DIVISION.

Two Clubs Obtain Maximum Number of Points.

On their own ground, the Hongkong C.C. defeated the Royal Army

LETTER GOLF.

SPOT CASH is demanded in today's puzzle. And there isn't much time allowed to produce it. Just five jumps.

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1—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in four, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW, HOW HEW HEN.

2—You can change only one letter at a time.

3—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4—The order of letters cannot be changed.

One solution is printed on another page.

Ordinance Corps by nine sets to nil. Scores:—

H. V. Parker and W. L. Dunbar (I.R.C.C.) beat Maj. White and S/Sgt. Greenaway 7-5; beat S/Sgt. Hardy and Cpl. Thompson 6-1; beat S/Condr. Paver and L/Cpl. Morgan 6-2.

C. Blaker and C. H. Bradley (I.R.C.C.) beat White and Greenaway 6-4; beat Hardy and Thompson 6-3; beat Paver and Morgan 6-3.

N. S. Lee and J. A. Summers (I.R.C.C.) beat White and Greenaway 7-5; beat Hardy and Thompson 7-5; beat Paver and Morgan 6-2.

Recreio v Craigengower.

At King's Park, the Club de Recreio defeated the Craigengower C.C. by nine sets to nil. Scores:—

J. Xavier and M. Oliveira (C. de R.) beat G. Kelly and R. Lay 6-0; beat D. Cloy and V. Sousa 6-3; beat E. Hamson and D. M. A. Raznek 6-0.

M. Remedios and C. R. Xavier (C. de R.) beat Kelly and Lay 6-0; beat Cloy and Sousa 6-4; beat Hamson and Raznek 6-1.

Chinese v South China.

At Causeway Bay, the Chinese R.C. lost to the South China A.A. by four sets to five. Scores:—

M. C. Law and C. W. Cheng (C.R.C.) lost to Ng Kam-chuen and Choy Ping-fan 3-6; beat C. S. Chan and C. C. Ma 6-2; beat Ip Kau and Mow Yuk-kwan 6-3.

P. K. Kwok and Chiu Wah-no (C.R.C.) lost to Ng and Choy 2-6; lost to Chan and Ma 5-7; lost to Ip and Mow 6-3.

W. C. Hung and Chiu Tsun-chin (C.R.C.) lost to Ng and Choy Ping-fan 7-9; beat Chan and Ma 6-1; beat Ip and Mow 6-3.

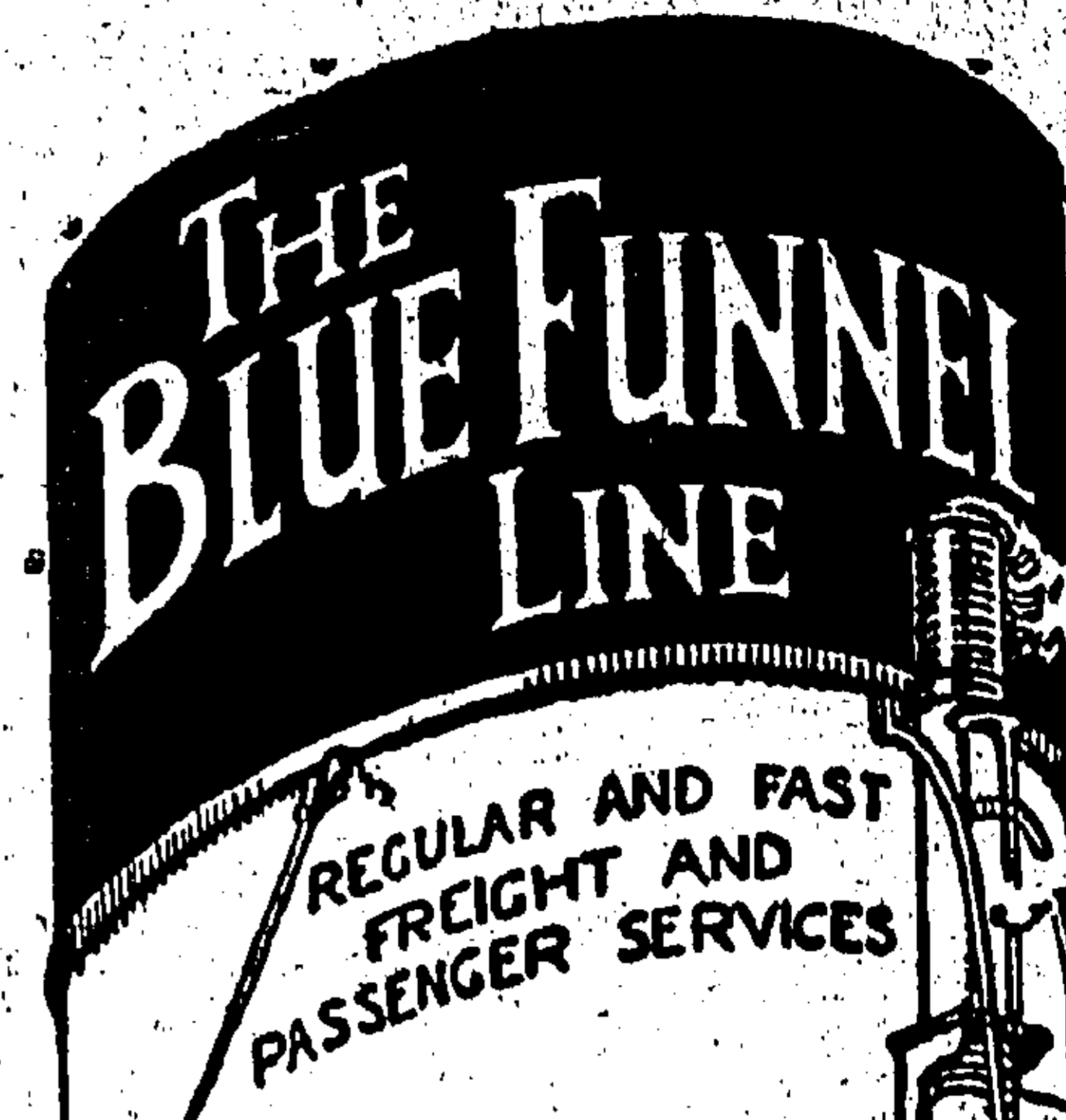
Civil Service v Indians.

At Happy Valley, the Civil Service C.C. defeated the Indian R.C. by six sets to three. Scores:—

Maj. C. Willson and J. Barrow (C.S.C.C.) beat O. Hoosen and M. P. Madar 8-6; beat A. R. Minu and J. S. Ackher 6-3; beat A. G. Mohamed and M. Hassan 6-2.

J. Benall and F. Bradley (C.S.C.C.) lost to Hoosen and Madar 3-6; beat Minu and Ackher 6-3; beat Mohamed and Hassan 6-0.

D. J. Valentine and C. Splitley (C.S.C.C.) lost to Hoosen and Madar 5-7; lost to Minu and Ackher 3-6; beat Mohamed and Hassan 7-5.



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CRAIGENGOWER DEFEATED BY RECORD MARGIN.

The surprise of Saturday's
matches in the Lawn Bowls
League was the defeat, by the
record margin of 52 shots, of the
Civil Service combination, who the
previous week convincingly
accounted for the Craigenower
C.C., last year's Champions. The
team to administer this crushing
defeat was the Kowloon Dock R.C.
C. The previous record was
the victory of the Club de Recreio
over Taikoo R.C. in the second
Division in August, 1928, when
the winners had a margin of 49
points.

DIVISION I.

Record Defeat of Civil Service Cricket Club.

The Civil Service C.C. made a
journey to the Kowloon Dock Greens
and were defeated by the record mar-
gin of 52 shots. Scores:

Kowloon Dock	Civil Service
C. Atkinson	J. T. Laing
J. V. Ramsay	J. R. Archibald
J. A. Lindsay	J. J. Gregory
J. C. Brown	R. T. Taylor
W. Hedley	F. E. Booker
H. G. Cooper	S. E. Alderman
J. McKelvie	C. Bennett
J. Puchon	A. O. Brown
F. Goodman	C. Sara
W. Greig	J. Deakin
J. O. McLaggan	J. Hollidge
F. Cullen	A. W. Grimmit
26	14
88	34

Craigenower v Recreio.

Playing at home the Craigenower
beat the Club de Recreio by 54 shots.

Scores:

Craigenower	Recreio
W. T. Brightman	C. F. Vaz
A. E. Coutes	F. X. Soares
E. el Arculli	S. Silva
U. M. Omar	P. Yvanovich
G. L. Buchanan	F. X. M. Silva
A. A. Raznek	L. C. R. Souza
H. Boer	C. A. Lopes
R. Bass	R. F. Luz
F. J. Neves	C. M. Alves
M. A. R. Sousa	H. Alves
D. Rumlajn	C. E. Marques
B. W. Bradbury	A. Ribeiro
23	15
81	44

Police v Kowloon C.C.

At Happy Valley, the Police R.C.
lost to the Kowloon C.C. by two shots.

Scores:

Police R.C.	Kowloon C.C.
G. Shepherd	F. B. Smith
J. Field	J. Hopburn
W. E. Hollands	J. A. Howe
G. Moss	A. E. Silksone
17	15
46	30

Taikoo v Bowling Green.

On their own ground, the Taikoo
R.C. defeated the Kowloon B.G.C. by
15 shots.

Scores:

Taikoo R.C.	Bowling Green.
J. Chalmers	S. Ecclehall
T. Grimes	J. S. McIntosh
C. B. Matthews	P. T. Farrell
N. Drummond	D. Gow
17	15
46	30

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SAFE ARRIVAL AT BATAVIA.

Batavia, May 18.
The Dutch seaplanes have ar-
rived safely here after a flight from
Holland.—*Reuter.*
[These planes left Holland about
the end of April and were delayed
by one of them striking a bridge
over the Tigris at Bagdad.]

J. McLeod	R. Duncan
J. E. Chapman	W. E. Hale
G. Morrison	H. Nish
W. Wether-	23 R. Hall
spoon	66
17	61

DIVISION II.

Craigenower C.C. Account for Club de Recreio.

On their own greens, the Club de
Recreio lost to the Craigenower C.C.
by 13 shots. Scores:

Recreio	Craigenower
L. E. Remedios	E. Tuck
F. V. Ribeiro	W. E. Pearce
E. L. Barros	Y. Abbas
J. G. Ozorio	W. Collins
17	24
49	62

Kowloon C.C. v Yacht Club.

Playing at home the Kowloon C.C.
lost to the Royal H.K. Yacht Club by
26 shots. Scores:

Kowloon C.C.	Yacht Club.
Raven	E. B. Reed
W. Borrowman	S. J. Jordain
Labrum	P. W. Ramsay
J. P. Robinson	A. Chapman
15	27
46	71

C.S.C.C. v H.K. Electric.

At Happy Valley, the Civil Service
C.C. defeated the Electric R.C. by 32
shots. Scores:

Civil Service C.C.	Electric R.C.
F. H. Holdman	L. de Rome
W. J. Bickford	H. Hatch
L. Whant	H. F. Akchurat
B. E. Maughan	L. J. Davies
27	15
78	46

R.B.G.C. v Taikoo.

On their own ground, the Kowloon
B.G.C. lost to the Taikoo R.C. by 15
shots. Scores:

Bowling Green.	Taikoo R.C.
S. West	S. Hope
F. L. Rapley	J. Polson
W. Bell	D. Spiers
J. MacLachlan	D. Walmsley
10	33
46	72

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A Bognor Meeting.

London, May 18.
A meeting of the inhabitants of
Bognor will be held next Thursday
to consider ways and means of re-
cording in a definite way,
their feelings of thankfulness
and gratitude for the re-
storation to health of His
Majesty, more especially in view
of the fact that His Majesty has spent
his period of convalescence on this
coast.—*British Wireless.*

Nurse Honoured.

London, May 18.
It is announced that the King
has conferred the Royal Red Cross
First Class upon Miss Nettie May
Purdie, in recognition of her de-
voted nursing service rendered
during His Majesty's illness.—*British*
Wireless.

Not Going to Ascot.

London, May 18.
It is now definitely announced
that neither the King nor Queen
will attend the Ascot Race Meeting,
which takes place in the middle of
June. This meeting is one of the
chief events of the season and the
absence of their Majesties will un-
doubtedly deprive it of much of its
usual brilliance.—*British Wireless.*

SUN YAT-SEN FUNERAL

WIDOW PROCEEDS TO WESTERN HILLS.

Peking, May 18.
Madame Sun Yat-sen arrived this
evening by special train which Mr.
Sun Fo took to Tientsin to meet
her. She was met on her arrival
here by Ho Cheng-chun and other
officials and proceeded immediately
to the Western Hills, refusing the
house which the authorities prepared
for her use on the plea that she
preferred to remain by the side of
her husband's coffin until the
funeral.

It is expected that she will reside
in the Western Hills till the re-
moval of the body. Madame Sun
Yat-sen and her party are refusing
to see all visitors and interviewers.
—*Reuter.*

Probable Postponement.

Shanghai, May 19.
It is understood that Chiang
Kai-shek's departure for Peking
on May 20 in connexion with the
late Dr. Sun Yat-sen's funeral
has been postponed indefinitely
and the ceremony itself is likely
to be put off on the plea that the
several divisions which would
be required to guard the railway
route cannot be spared owing to
military necessity.—*Reuter.*

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RAJPUTANA	16,568	22nd June	Bombay, M's & L'don
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SANTHA	7,754	5th June	Moji, Kobe & Osaka
KASHGAR	9,005	7th June	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yok
TILBINGTON COURT	—	10th June	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yok
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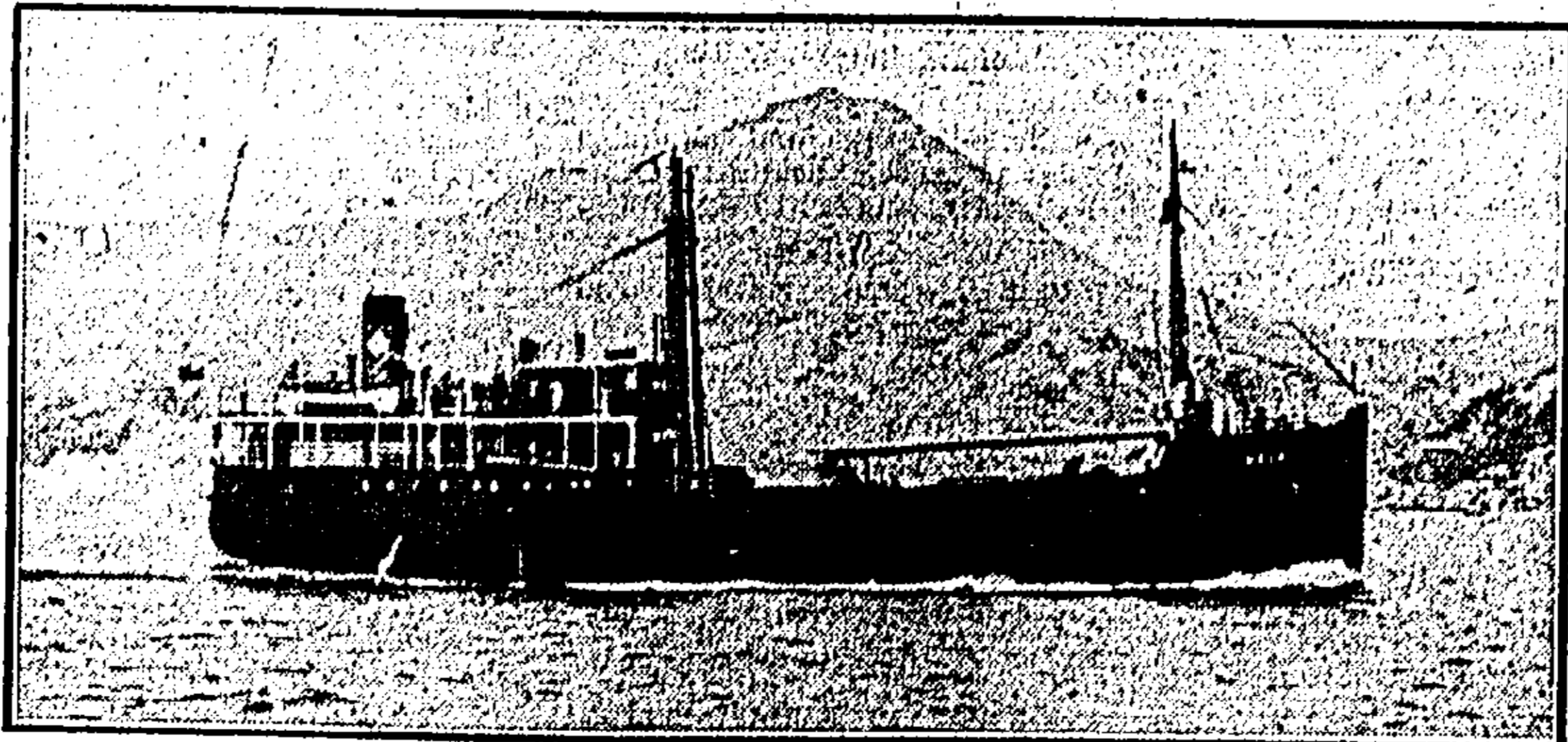
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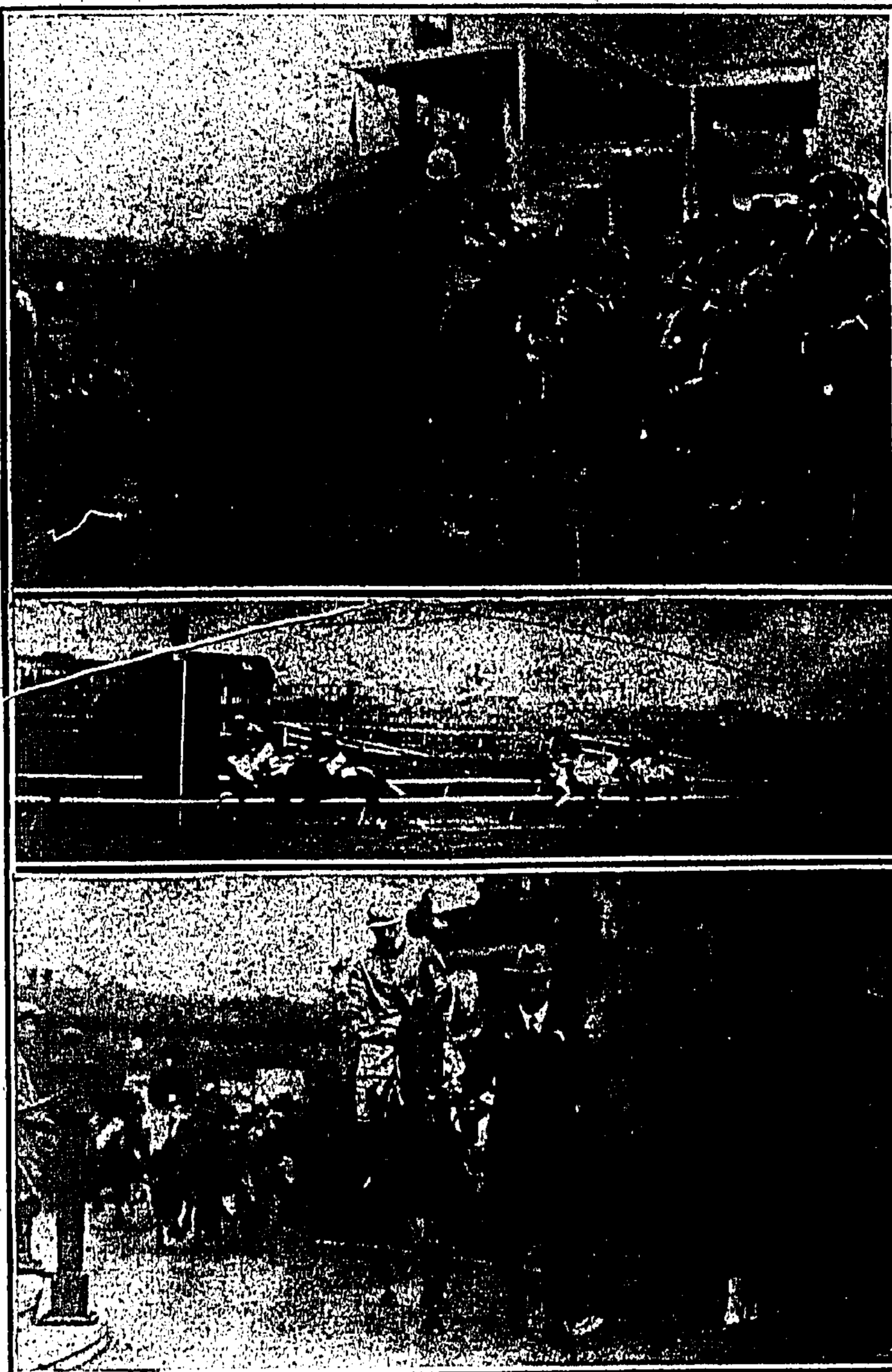
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TO-DAY'S RACING.

PONIES FIANCED BY "RINGTAIL."

This afternoon's race meeting at Happy Valley will see the termination of the first half of the 1928-1929 racing season.

With the first day's racing as a guide, the events should be keenly contested at this afternoon's fixture. My selections are:

1st Race.

1. Szatmar.
2. False Alarm.
3. Sunshine.

2nd Race.

1. Monterey Bay.
2. Buster.
3. City Hall.

3rd Race.

1. Bright Prospect.
2. Glory.
3. Mowgli.

4th Race.

1. One Third.
2. Chesapeake Bay.
3. Christmas Chimes.

5th Race.

1. Brigade Call.
2. Fanling Stag.
3. As You Like It.

6th Race.

1. The Ptarmigan.
2. Luca.
3. Sunshine.

7th Race.

1. Noukhail.
2. The Jamina.
3. The Sun.

8th Race.

1. Young Pretender.
2. Itose Hall.
3. City Hall.

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DAVIS CUP CONTEST.

Paris, May 19.

The American ladies' tennis team which under the captaincy of Miss Helen Wills is touring Europe, to-day defeated the French ladies' team in the international match at Autueil by four matches to three.

The brilliance of Miss Wills enabled America to win the contest, which was extended over two days.

The results were:—

Miss Edith Cross (U.S.) lost to Madame Mathieu, who won by 6-3, 6-2.

Miss Helen Wills (U.S.) beat Madame La Faurie, 6-0, 6-2.

Miss Cross (U.S.) lost to Madame La Faurie, who won by 6-3, 9-7.

Miss Wills (U.S.) beat Madame Mathieu 6-6, 6-0.

Miss Morrill (U.S.) beat Madame Kishnadel (France) by 10-8, 3-6, 7-5.

Miss Morrill and Madame Bordes (France) beat Miss Morrill and Mrs. Bunday by 6-3, 8-6.

Miss Wills and Miss Cross (U.S.) beat Madames Mathieu and La Faurie by 6-2, 2-6, 6-4.—*Reuter.*

It is reported from Scheveningen that the Dutch Davis Cup team, which met the Egyptian team in the second round of the competition to-day, proved successful by three matches to one, Egypt thus being eliminated.—*Reuter.*

Marathon Race, starting from Windsor to London, finishing at the Stamford Bridge track, 26 miles and 386 yards, attracted 47 starters, and 386 yards, attracted 47 starters, and 386 yards, attracted 47 starters.

B. Ferris (Royal Artillery) finished first in 2 hours 40 mins. 47. 3/5 secs. W. Laaksonen (Finland) was second in 2 hours 43 mins. 48 1/5 secs. The third man home was H. Bignall (Highgate Harriers) in 2 hours 44 mins. 51. 1/5 secs.

This gives Ferris his fifth consecutive victory.—*Reuter.*

HOME GOLF.

TURNESA WINS 1,000 GUINEAS CONTEST.

Leeds, May 18.

The final of the golf contest on the Moortown links for One Thousand Guineas presented by the Yorkshire Evening News, was fought out between J. Turnesa (U.S.A.) and H. C. Jolly (Foxgrove). The American, after being two down on the morning's play, won the match on the 37th green.

In the semi-finals the results were: H. C. Jolly (Foxgrove) beat W. H. Davis (Wallasey) by one hole.

J. Turnesa (U.S.A.) beat C. A. Whitcombe (Craw's Hill) by two holes.

The Final Described.

The weather was fine and a large crowd of spectators assembled on the Moortown links to watch Turnesa and Jolly commence the final over thirty-six holes. The American won the first two, sinking a twelve-yarder at the second. The third and fourth were halved. Turnesa went out of bounds at the fifth, which he lost, but he halved the sixth. At the seventh Jolly put his second shot eight feet from the hole and holed out for a great three.

Turnesa lofted a styler to win the eighth. The Englishman holed a five-yarder at the ninth and turned all square. The next three holes were halved.

Jolly took the lead at the thirteenth, where Turnesa went out of bounds, but he missed an eighteen-inch putt, causing him to lose the 34th hole. The American player won the next two holes, necessitating the match being taken to the 37th hole. Turnesa holed from the edge of the green, Jolly missing a four-yarder for a half.—*Reuter.*

Prince Plays.

London, May 18.

At Swinley Forest, near Ascot, H.R.H. the Prince of Wales and Walter Hagen defeated Sir Victor Sassoon and Aubrey Boomer by two holes in a nine hole match under greensome rules whereby all players drive off from the tee, the hole being completed with the better placed ball on each side.—*Reuter.*

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